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Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers



Turner Center Schoolhouse built in 1939

Town of Turner

Maine

For the Year Ending February 1st
1940

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF TURNER MAINE

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PRESS OF
MERRILL & WEBBER COMPANY
AUBURN, MAINE

TOWN OFFICERS 1939

Moderator

HARRY G. HARLOW

Clerk

EARL B. HODSDON

Selectmen and Assessors

HENRY H. WHITMAN FRED P. RICKER
 JOHN E. TEAGUE

Overseers of the Poor

STELLA M. CHASE HENRY H. WHITMAN
 JOHN E. TEAGUE

Treasurer

EDWARD L. HASKELL

Superintendent of Schools

ISAIAH M. HODGES

School Committee

NORRIS STEVENS HORACE T. MOODY
 EARLE HODGMAN

Road Commissioner

LEROY J. MERRILL

Health Officer

GEORGE N. EVANS, D.O.

Sealer of Weights and Measures

FRED E. YOUNG

Tax Collector

ERNEST B. MORSE

Truant Officer

HENRY A. PRATT

Examiner of the Blind
WALLACE E. VILES, M.D.

Constables
ERNEST B. MORSE HENRY A. PRATT

Constable for Bear Pond Park
BRUCE SMITH

Dog Constable
HENRY A. PRATT

Fire Wardens
LEROY J. MERRILL RALPH L. WHITING

Fire Ward
JAMES G. ALLEN

Inspector of Plumbing
JAMES G. ALLEN

Fence Viewers
EDWARD L. HASKELL JOHN E. TEAGUE
RALPH L. EMERSON

*Surveyors of Lumber and Logs and
Measurers of Wood and Bark*
JOHN E. TEAGUE LUTHER M. HODSDON
CHARLES McLAUGHLIN JAMES G. ALLEN

Ballot Clerks
STELLA M. CHASE ANNIE L. BRADFORD

Election Clerks
LAUREN H. GILBERT MAYNARD E. HOUSE

Budget Committee
WILLIAM J. RICKER DONALD C. PRINCE
EDSEL G. PRATT GEORGE H. FRENCH
HORACE T. MOODY

REPORT OF ASSESSORS

Real Estate, resident,	\$ 511,370 00
Real Estate, non-resident,	414,995 00
	<hr/> \$ 926,365 00
Personal Property, resident,	\$ 71,508 00
Personal Property, non-resident,	5,125 00
	<hr/> \$ 76,633 00
Grand Total,	<hr/> \$1,002,998 00
Number of Polls Taxed,	441
Number of Polls Exempt,	70

VALUATION OF EXEMPT PROPERTY

On account of poverty and infirmity,	\$ 1,900 00
Property other than School Buildings,	15,000 00

ITEMS OF ASSESSMENT

Town Appropriations,	\$ 39,722 00
State Tax,	8,392 83
County Tax,	2,233 10
Overlay,	2,126 58
	<hr/> \$ 52,474 51
Polls, 441 at \$3.00,	\$ 1,323 00
	<hr/> \$ 1,323 00
	<hr/> \$ 51,151 51

Valuation	Tax Rate	Property Tax
\$1,002,998.00	x \$51.00 Per \$1,000.00	

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1939-1940

Art. 14	Support of Common Schools,	\$ 7,500 00
15	Repairs of School Buildings,	600 00
16	Text Books and Supplies,	600 00
17	Electric Lights in Schools,	75 00
18	Musical Instruction in Common Schools,	300 00
19	Superintendent of Schools Salary,	520 00
20	Tuition at Leavitt Institute,	4,250 00
21	Domestic Science and Agriculture at L. I.,	1,000 00
22	Support of Poor,	2,800 00
23	Mothers' Aid,	150 00
24	Reimbursement Town Farm Overdrafts,	500 00
25	Roads and Bridges (\$500.00 to be used for graveling),	4,500 00
26	Snow Removal,	2,500 00
27	Improvement State Aid Road,	999 00
28	Maintenance Third Class Roads,	1,078 00
29	Maintenance State Aid and State Roads,	1,600 00
30	Memorial Day,	75 00
33	Street Lights,	600 00
34	Interest on Town Debt,	2,000 00
35	Reduction Town Debt,	2,500 00
36	Payment Railway Bond,	1,000 00
37	Health Work Under Red Cross,	100 00
38	Other Town Charges,	1,100 00
39	Cutting Bushes, Town Roads,	200 00
40	Calcium Chloride,	100 00
42	Help Build New School House at Turner Center,	2,500 00
45	Pine Blister Rust Control,	300 00
47	Improvement of Neglected Cemeteries,	75 00
50	Turner Public Library,	200 00
Total Appropriations,		\$ 39,722 00

TAXABLE LIVE STOCK AND POULTRY

	No.	Ave. Value	Total
Horses,	160	\$95.90+	\$ 15,345 00
Cows,	815	35.48+	28,920 00
Oxen and Bulls,	43	51.30—	2,205 00
Three year olds,	198	31.81+	6,300 00
Two year olds,	241	22.10+	5,357 00
Swine (over 10 in number),	11	9.09+	100 00
Poultry			
(over 50 in number),	3,612	.73—	2,636 00
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			\$ 60,833 00

EXEMPT LIVE STOCK AND POULTRY

	No.	Ave. Value	Total
One year olds,	302	\$ 15.22	\$ 4,593 00
Sheep (to 35 in number),	51	3.41	174 00
Swine (to 10 in number),	89	11.91	985 00
Poultry			
(to 50 in number)	3,612	.73	2,028 00
Draft type colts	2	80.00	160 00
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			\$ 7,940 00

OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in Trade,	\$ 7,100 00
Logs, 170M.,	850 00
Pulp Wood, 180 cords,	180 00
Lumber, 10M.,	100 00
Wood and Bark, 720 cords,	720 00
Gas Pumps, 34,	3,025 00
Tractors, 25,	1,775 00
Musical Instruments, 12,	600 00
Other Property,	350 00
Portable Saw Mills, 3,	1,100 00
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	\$ 15,800 00

Total amount Personal Property, \$ 76,633 00

TAX ABATEMENTS

Melvin P. Bartlett, Error,	\$ 7 65
Adeline Woodward, Error,	2 04
Gulf Refining Co., Over valued,	7 65
Donnelly & Sons, Over valued,	2 55
Millio S. Lindsey, Went to A. R. Bonney,	15 30
Paul M. Clark, First Auburn Trust Co.,	5 10
Zilpha Prince, Error,	28 05
F. H. Waterhouse, Went to N. T. Fox,	40 80
Rufus Prince, Jr., Not of age,	3 00
Robert Dyer, Jr., Not of age,	3 00
Albert Sennett, Not of age,	3 00
Elwin W. Bates, Paid in Auburn,	3 00
Albert Mitchell, Paid in Gray,	3 00
J. W. Hodgman, Paid in Pittsfield,	3 00
Samuel Timberlake, Not of age,	3 00
Napoleon Garceau, Paid in Lewiston,	3 00
Lucien Berry, Paid in Auburn,	3 00
Clarence Stanley, Paid in Jay,	3 00
Dwight Hannon, Paid in Livermore Falls,	3 00
J. A. Nickerson, Pension,	3 00
Fortain, Error,	3 00
Francis Mason, Out of State,	3 00
Ralph Bray, Paid in Mansville, R. I.,	3 00
Charles Gatchell, Not to be found,	3 00
Bernard Kilbreth, Not to be found,	3 00
L. M. Hodsdon, Veteran,	3 00
Harold Hill, No property, error,	4 34
Harold DeCoster, Fire loss,	41 60
Geo. H. French, Fire loss,	25 00
Donald McIntosh,	9 94
E. A. Packard, Error adding,	2 00
Henry P. Gauthier,	1 53
Delmar Dean, Sick,	2 55
Cleon Sampson, Double tax,	1 02
Maurice Maxwell, Fire loss,	17 56
Charles Dillingham, Owned by Town,	5 61

Lizzie Kyllonen, Poor,	14 79
C. E. Foster, Paid in Buckfield,	35 70
C. W. Oldham, Poor,	9 57
A. K. Steurk, Land, double taxed,	20 40
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	\$ 354 75

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY H. WHITMAN,
FRED P. RICKER,
JOHN E. TEAGUE,

Assessors of Turner.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

The poor relief account this year is not pleasant to contemplate.

Last year our report showed an expense of \$4,806.09 for poor off the farm, part of which was for cases which did not belong to Turner and for which we expected the town would be reimbursed. Some money has come in on these accounts but we still have rather heavy bills against other towns and some against the State.

Our total expense this year for poor off the farm has been \$7,258.21, of which \$4,109.22 is for our own poor.

The town farm account this year shows an overdraft of \$1,679.94. Analyzing this we find an unpaid overdraft from last year of \$441.29. One inmate, Alfred Coffren, cost the farm \$563.05, mostly hospital bills, with a return from his property of \$17.00.

There are two inmates at the farm now, Fred Merton and Guy Turner. Besides these there have been during the year four others part of the time. Linwood Sedgley for a short time, Mrs. Hattie Sedgley for a much longer time. These two left town and are getting their living. Mrs. Mabel Dent came to the farm from California, but is now with relatives. Alfred Coffren was moved from Fayette when his health failed so that he was not able to live alone. Eventually he died in the C. M. G. Hospital.

Livestock on the farm now is:

2 horses
14 cows
3 heifers
1 bull
1 hog
15 hens

About 31 bushels of red kidney beans were raised and some potatoes in excess of the farm's needs. These are being exchanged for groceries. All bills are paid to Feb. 1, 1940, except \$50.00 is due the superintendent of the Farm.

Respectfully submitted,

STELLA M. CHASE,
HENRY H. WHITMAN,
JOHN E. TEAGUE,

Overseers of the Poor.

TOWN FARM ACCOUNTS
Expenses

Superintendent's salary,	\$ 550 00
Supplies,	729 69
Grain,	668 85
Repairs and equipment,	149 04
Lights,	35 88
Telephone,	10 10
Miscellaneous,	39 58
Labor,	76 50
Veterinary,	27 00
Fertilizer,	63 42
Apple Trees,	5 00
Live Stock,	45 00
Alfred Coffren,	563 05

Blacksmith,	6 00
Hay,	111 33
Overdraft, 1938,	941 29
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Total,	\$ 4,021 73

Receipts	
Raised by Town,	\$ 500 00
Milk,	1,613 36
Live Stock,	91 00
Hogs,	20 00
Coffren Property,	17 00
Dividend,	31 65
Hay Loader,	59 00
Miscellaneous,	9 78
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Total,	\$ 2,341 79
Overdraft, 1939,	1,679 94
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Total,	\$ 4,021 73

SUMMARY OF CASES, EXPENSES AND RECEIPTS FOR POOR RELIEF,
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1940

Marie Phinney	Turner	22.00	Injury	Canton	3	Moved Away
M. H. Dubé	Biddeford	33.09		Turner	5	
Wallace Hines	Turner	78.83		Turner	2	
William H. Hobbs	Turner	28.00		Turner	2	Old Age Pension
Harry Burdin	Turner	2.98		Turner	2	Old Age Pension
Lydia Enos	State	194.75	358.19	318.52	4	
Bert Libby	Turner	16.00	552.94	Turner	2	
Dennis O'Connor	Lewiston	452.15	234.42	Turner	3	Mr. O'Connor, Deceased
Joseph St. Onge	Turner	466.39	466.39	Turner	3	Old Age Pension
Oscar Hamel	Turner	11.00		Lewiston	2	
Howard Hyer	Turner			Lewiston	6	
Georgia Wardwell	Turner			Turner	4	
Edward Hodsdon	Portland			Turner	1	
Linwood Sedgley	Turner			Turner	3	Moved Away
Tramps	Turner			Litchfield	2	
Veteran Case No. 1	Mexico	1.80				
Veteran Case No. 2	Turner	135.50	257.18	Turner	2	
Veteran Case No. 3	Turner	58.50	198.68	Turner	5	
Veteran Case No. 4	Turner		187.42	Hebron	4	
Veteran Case No. 5	Turner		92.09	Turner	2	
Veteran Case No. 6	Turner		49.32	Sumner	5	
Veteran Case No. 7	Lewiston	369.50	381.90	Turner	7	Trying to Collect
Veteran Case No. 8				Turner	5	
Veteran Case No. 9				Turner	8	

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

We submit our report for the fiscal year ending February 1, 1940.

All bills which have been approved have been paid as usual.

One R. R. bond of \$1,000.00 has been paid. We were unable to pay anything more on town debt because of uncollected tax liens, uncollected poor bills due from other towns, and overdraft in our own poor account, both on and off the farm.

The expense for snow equipment this year has been for blades and parts for the plows, and one new sand-spreader. This gives the town two sand-spreaders.

The selectmen advise trading trucks this year as usual.

Some money has been collected on tax liens and two pieces of property have been sold.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY H. WHITMAN,
FRED P. RICKER,
JOHN E. TEAGUE,

Selectmen of Turner.

OTHER TOWN CHARGES

Paid Out

Office supplies,	\$ 191 73
Printing Town Reports,	164 25
Delivering Town Reports,	11 00
Auditing Town books,	42 95
Collecting taxes, (E. B. Morse),	480 00
Collecting excise taxes, (E. B. Morse),	84 32
Real estate transfers,	5 55
Vital statistics,	45 75
First selectman,	350 00
Second selectman,	250 00
Third selectman,	250 00
Stella M. Chase, overseer of poor,	120 00
School Board,	75 00
Town Clerk,	80 00
Town Treasurer,	350 00
Election Ballot Clerks,	10 00
Henry A. Pratt, Dog Constable,	18 93
Henry A. Pratt, Truant Officer,	1 50
Henry A. Pratt, Constable,	5 00
Health Officer, Dr. Evans,	43 00
Freight of surplus commodities,	86 82
Distributing surplus commodities,	53 20
Office telephone,	33 25
Treasurer of M. & S. Funds, (2 years),	30 00
Rent of Grange Hall,	15 00
Treasurer's Bond,	17 50
Collector's Bond,	25 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures and supplies,	33 66
Recording and discharging liens,	95 90
Insurance,	30 60

Balance 1938 dog tax,	60 00
Safe,	90 00
Maine Municipal Officers Ass'n, (Membership),	35 00
Miscellaneous,	215 27
Abatements,	354 75
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Total,	\$ 3,754 93
Unexpended Balance,	1,058 28

Receipts	
Unexpended Balance,	\$ 671 80
Appropriation,	1,100 00
Received from State,	185 00
Overlay,	2,126 58
Supplementary Tax,	184 65
Received from other sources,	544 60
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Total,	\$ 4,813 21

Interest on Town Debt	
	Cr.
By Appropriation,	\$ 2,000 00
Transfer, (Excise tax),	68 11
Overdraft,	346 86
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Total,	\$ 2,414 97

Dr.	
To Overdraft Balance,	\$ 18 69
Tax Discounts,	687 69
Distribution,	1,708 59
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Total,	\$ 2,414 97

Payment of R. R. Bond, 1939

Cr.

By Appropriation,	\$ 1,000 00
Total,	\$ 1,000 00
Dr.	
To Distribution,	\$ 1,000 00
Total,	\$ 1,000 00
Chase's Mills Bridge	
Cr.	
By Transfer, (Excise tax)	\$ 1,930 03
Total,	\$ 1,930 03
Dr.	
To Overdraft Balance, (Feb. 1, 1939),	\$ 1,930 03
Total,	\$ 1,930 03
Cemetery Improvements	
Cr.	
By Appropriation,	\$ 75 00
Total,	\$ 75 00
Dr.	
To Distribution, Balance,	\$ 56 30 18 70
Total,	\$ 75 00
Public Library	
Cr.	
By Appropriation,	\$ 200 00
Total,	\$ 200 00

Dr.

To Distribution,	\$ 200 00
Total,	\$ 200 00

Health and Red Cross

Cr.

By Appropriation,	\$ 100 00
Total,	\$ 100 00

Dr.

To Turner Red Cross,	\$ 100 00
Total,	\$ 100 00

Mothers' Aid

Cr.

By Balance,	\$ 55 45
Appropriation,	150 00
Total,	\$ 205 45

Dr.

To Distribution,	\$ 202 50
Balance,	2 95
Total,	\$ 205 45

Memorial Day

Cr.

By Appropriation,	\$ 75 00
Total,	\$ 75 00

Dr.

To Distribution,	\$ 75 00
Total,	\$ 75 00

Old Age Assistance

Cr.

By Transfer—

State Aid Road Acct.,	\$ 999 00
3rd Class Maint. Acct.,	500 75
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Total,	\$ 1,499 75

Dr.

To Distribution (paid State)	\$ 749 88
Balance,	749 87
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Total,	\$ 1,499 75

ROAD COMMISSIONERS ORDERS ON
SELECTMEN FOR ALL ROAD WORK

Alden, P. O.,	\$ 3 15
Abbott, H. L.,	3 00
Allen, Robert,	5 00
Allied Steel Co.,	29 54
Austin, Forest,	111 51
Austin, Gerald,	34 45
Batson, Albert,	5 00
Bailey Bros.,	335 75
Bisbee, Alton,	132 88
Barrell, William,	6 00
Brackett, Frank,	232 77
Brackett, Albian,	15 30
Bonney, A. R.,	7 50
Bartlett's Garage,	5 68
Bishop, Linwood,	70
Bonney, Allen,	86 05
Briggs, George,	4 82
Cary, Ralph,	40 37
Churchill, Ernest,	6 00
City of Auburn,	16 87
Durgin, Elwood,	591 21

Durgin, C. A.,	3 75
Dayor Sales & Machine Co.,	8 00
Decheane, Charles,	7 50
Eastern Tractor & Equipment Co.,	67 98
Farnum, Wesley,	5 95
Fisher, John,	24 72
Farm Service Co.,	54 00
Files, R. L. and Keefe, J. O. Co.,	157 05
Fish, Forest,	7 06
Fogg, Ernest,	7 35
Freight,	87
French, A. S.,	36 50
Gauthier, Henry,	5 00
Gibbs, Charles,	6 67
Gauthier, George,	17 50
Gilbert, Earl,	12 78
Gauthier, William,	49 83
Gillis, Alfred,	13 33
Heikkinen, Vieno,	36 61
Heikkinen, Abel,	420 92
Hobbs, William,	6 32
Hyer, Herbert,	83
Hendricks, Elmer,	2 45
Huntington, Charles,	5 95
Hutchinson, Merle,	7 50
Harlow, Fred,	6 11
Hinkley, P. T.,	13 00
Hinkley, Paul,	182 33
House, M. E.,	17 50
Hanson, George,	1 60
Hersey, Ernest,	1 95
Higgins Garage,	17 84
Hodsdon, Luther M.,	8 15
Hillman, N. B.,	60 00
Irish, Henry,	15 05
Johnson, Henry,	68
Jordan, John,	10 97

Kyllanen, Ott,	30 90
Knight, Howard,	29 50
Labbe, David,	25 00
Lawrence, Walter,	42 56
McConnell, E. J.,	10 00
Morris, Henry,	3 89
Mitchell, Alfred,	100 80
Morse, Ambro, Mrs.,	8 40
Matthews, Walter D.,	141 91
Marks, Adolphus,	4 50
Merrill, Howard V.,	16 67
McLaughlan, Ronald,	7 22
Merrill, Leroy J.,	675 00
Max Miller Co.,	7 50
McAllister, Hazen,	2 63
Mason, Richard,	1 40
Nadeau, Allex,	5 56
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	61 98
Purkis, Amos,	115 36
Pillsbury, George,	8 80
Pulkkinen, Onni,	200 83
Pulsifer, Winifred,	5 00
Parsons, P. H.,	32 45
Pearl, L. A.,	10 00
Pillsbury, C. C.,	3 19
Purkis, A. T.,	8 89
Quimby, Leroy J.,	338 90
Quimby, Donald,	356 71
Robbins, Edgar,	13 06
Russell, Ralph,	25 56
Roberts, Haven,	25 20
Rose & Pratt,	86 86
Riverside Service Store,	245 71
Reckard, Frank,	6 33
Starbird, James,	4 00
Staples, Ernest,	50 70
State Highway Commission,	225 67

Skillings, Ernest,	131 91
Strout, Fred,	10 00
Sampson, Cleon,	55 00
Strout, Linwood,	320 30
Stevens, Fred,	10 00
Sennett, James,	4 95
Shaw, Eben,	11 00
Turner Garage,	1,046 06
Thompson, Harvey,	6 39
Trask, Charles,	11 10
Teague, J. E.,	42 53
True, Annie,	18 13
Talbot, Charles,	4 75
Town truck,	172 50
Timberlake, Henry,	8 48
Timberlake, Lloyd,	331 38
Timberlake, Samuel,	359 25
Twitchell's Garage,	17 20
Vulcan Steel Corp.,	33 88
Wall, W. C.,	3 67
Whiting, Ralph,	27 68
Woodward & Piippo,	6 90
Young, George,	9 44
Young, Fred E.,	423 91
 Total,	 \$ 8,980 20

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

ROADS AND BRIDGES, SUMMER HIGHWAYS

Cr.

Unexpended balance,	\$ 47 53
Raised by Town,	4,500 00
Received from State,	767 09
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Total,	\$ 5,314 62

Dr.

Supplies,	\$ 197 52
Labor,	3,660 47
Lumber,	365 02
Gas and Oil,	523 88
Blacksmithing,	6 45
Sand,	84 90
Road Commissioner,	406 75
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Total	\$ 5,244 99
Unexpended balance,	69 63
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Total,	\$ 5,314 62

SNOW REMOVAL

Cr.

Unexpended balance, 1938,	\$ 1,077 42
Received from other sources,	29 00
Raised by Town,	2,500 00
Received from State,	414 42
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Total,	\$ 4,020 84

Dr.

Supplies,	\$ 388 75
Labor,	1,755 01
Sand,	8 40
Gas and Oil,	235 10
Road Commissioner,	211 25
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Total,	\$ 2,598 51
Unexpended balance,	1,422 33
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Total,	\$ 4,020 84

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Cr.

Unexpended balance,	\$ 345 48
Raised by Town,	1,078 00
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Total,	\$ 1,423 48

Dr.

Paid State for Tar and applying,	\$ 225 67
Labor,	633 29
Sand,	34 90
Road Commissioner,	57 00
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Total,	\$ 950 86
Unexpended balance,	472 62
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Total,	\$ 1,423 48

CUTTING BUSHES

Cr.

Unexpended balance,	\$ 2 60
Raised by Town,	200 00
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Total,	\$ 202 60

Dr.

Labor,	\$ 185 84
Total,	\$ 185 84
Unexpended balance,	16 76
Total,	\$ 202 60

CALCIUM CHLORIDE

Cr.

Unexpended balance,	\$ 22 82
Raised by Town,	100 00
Received by Henry Hooper,	4 65
Received by Eben Shaw,	3 10
Received by Edith Russell,	6 20
Total,	\$ 136 77
Overdraft,	2 73

	\$ 139 50

Dr.

Paid for Calcium Chloride,	\$ 139 50
Amount due,	9 30

Respectfully submitted,

ROY J. MERRILL,

Road Commissioner.

NEW CONSTRUCTION OF STATE AID ROAD

Cr.	
Unexpended balance, 1938,	\$ 110 64
Raised by Town,	999 00
Received from State,	1,218 78
Transferred from Third Class,	3,224 70
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Total,	\$ 5,553 12
Overdraft, 1939,	4,869 00
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	\$ 10,422 12
Dr.	
Expended by State,	\$ 3,523 53
Expended by Town,	6,898 59
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	\$ 10,422 12

This account includes tarring of the road built this year.

CONSTRUCTION OF SPECIAL RESOLVE ROAD

Cr.	
Received of State,	\$ 1,000 00
Unexpended balance from 1938,	59 53
Gravel and loam, paid by Town,	87 05
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Total,	\$1,146 58

Dr.	
Foreman's salary,	\$ 54 37
Expended by State, Supervision,	11 10
Labor,	289 96
Trucks,	344 21
Shovel, Livermore Falls,	235 50

Culverts,	75 95
Gravel and loam,	87 05
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Total,	\$ 1,098 14
Unexpended balance,	48 44
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Total,	\$1,146 58

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AND STATE AID
HIGHWAYS

Cr.	
By balance,	\$ 603 60
Appropriation,	1,600 00
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Total,	\$ 2,203 60
Dr.	
To distribution,	\$ 1,171 50
Unexpended balance,	1,032 10
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Total,	\$ 2,203 60

STREET LIGHTS

Cr.	
Raised by Town,	\$ 600 00
Unexpended balance, 1938,	20 11
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Total,	\$ 620 11
Dr.	
Paid for Street Lights,	\$ 567 00
Unexpended balance,	53 11
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Total,	\$ 620 11

REPORT OF COLLECTOR

February 1, 1940

No unpaid Personal or Poll Taxes.

POLL TAXES

Commitment,	\$ 1,323 00
Supplementary,	24 00
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	\$ 1,347 00
Receipts,	\$ 1,293 00
Abatements,	54 00
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	\$ 1,347 00

REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL

Commitment,	\$51,151 51
Supplementary,	160 65
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	\$ 51,312 16
Receipts,	\$ 44,479 19
Liens recorded,	6,389 42
Government Farms,	142 80
Abatements,	300 75
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	\$ 51,312 16

SUMMARY OF COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT
PER MONTH

Date	Excise	Poll	Real and Personal	Discount
Feb.	\$ 759 72			
Mar.	329 85			
Apr.	97 64			

May	179 42	\$ 319 50	\$ 4,657 18	\$ 143 85
June	127 61	331 50	16,414 60	502 89
July	52 98	191 00	1,250 76	28 35
Aug.	56 10	78 00	1,456 50	12 60
Sept.	63 87	243 50	1,405 09	
Oct.	33 68	74 00	1,951 90	
Nov.	40 56	37 50	3,988 33	
Dec.	72 69	12 00	8,501 17	
Jan. '40	184 02	6 00	4,165 97	
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	\$ 1,998 14	\$ 1,293 00	\$ 43,791 50	\$ 687 69
	Total cash collected,			\$ 47,770 33
Resident liens,			\$ 5,456 80	
Non Resident,			932 62	
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			\$ 6,389 42	

If amounts appear against anyone who has made such payments, please present receipts and the correction will be made any time.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST B. MORSE,

Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts from Feb. 1, 1939 to Feb. 1, 1940

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939,	\$ 3,678 70
H. L. Abbott, 1938 lien,	103 76
E. B. Morse, Coll. 1937 personal, Sampson,	1 57
Harry P. Ellis, Hathaway 1938 lien,	68 70
A. K. Steurk, Hilden 1936-1937 liens,	11 16
Mabel Merrill, 1938 lien F. E. Merrill Est.,	112 40
B. E. Berman, Frank King Est.,	54 30
Alden Green, Bertha Green 1938 lien,	43 50
State of Maine, Paupers,	1,401 79
George Bray, use of truck,	4 00
P. G. Sawyer, milk, etc.,	1,533 05
City of Lewiston, soldiers,	411 25
William Laflame, 1938 lien in full,	8 70
E. B. Morse, 1938 lien Lillian Tucker,	2 40
E. B. Morse, 1938 lien Conant heirs,	8 70
Mildred Reed, 1937 lien Wm. Hobbs heirs,	21 28
Treasurer of U. S., 1938 R. E. tax,	129 60
Daniel Hillman, 1938 lien,	30 30
First Auburn Trust Co., 1937 Clark lien,	129 34
Delbert Rose, use of tractor,	5 00
Turner Village Cemetery Assn. Loan,	700 00
W. E. Day, 1936 Poole lien,	83 47
H. E. McAllister, 1937-1938 liens,	34 15
Town of Buckfield, poor relief,	31 35
Adelaide Gallant, applied on 1937 lien,	7 00
Harold Hill, plowing snow,	10 00
Manufacturers National Bank, loan,	10,000 00
Town truck, use of,	539 55
State of Maine, highway refund,	3 00
Hugh Briggs, 1934-35-36-37-38 St. Onge liens	380 00

State of Maine, rent of equipment,	175 03
E. B. Hodsdon, dog licenses,	271 90
Charles Warren, 1938 lien,	101 50
A. O. Chase, applied on 1937 lien,	15 00
Fed. Land Bank, 1937-38 O'Connor liens,	127 39
C. E. Foster Co., 1938 liens,	186 90
Robert Allen, 1937-38 liens of Emma Bradford heirs,	29 74
Alice Belanger, 1936-1938 liens,	56 85
Louise J. Bunker, 1936-37-38 French liens,	21 23
L. L. Wardwell, 1938 lien,	24 74
Donald Kidder, Andrews Place,	325 00
Abel Heikkinen, 1938 lien,	22 36
L. H. Sawtelle, applied on 1936-37 liens,	77 24
Ranaldo Simpson, $\frac{1}{2}$ Enos dog tax,	5 00
Lorraine Coburn, 1936 lien,	20 23
Town of Green, ?,	20 00
City of Biddeford, paupers,	33 09
Town of Hartford, winter roads,	10 00
Town of Hartford, common school tuition,	14 00
A. T. Fox, Inc., Waterhouse 1938 lien,	40 39
F. G. Davis, 1936 lien in full,	43 60
F. G. Davis, applied on 1937 lien,	84 40
State of Maine, ?	45 01
Ralph Whiting, applied on 1938 lien,	50 00
Ruel Smith Sec., 1937-38 liens Chas. Roberts,	133 20
P. T. Bradford, 1937 lien,	35 95
State of Maine, porcupine bounty,	7 75
City of Portland, Hodsdon,	40 25
Cora Berry, balance of 1937 lien,	12 49
Frank Volanto, 1937 lien,	13 00
Frances Donovan, applied on 1937 lien,	40 00
Sanford Esterbrook, 1937 lien,	8 66
A. A. Newell, applied on 1937 lien,	5 00
Leon Whitman, 1937 lien,	87 02
Shirley Hobbs, applied on 1937 lien,	7 00
B. E. Alden, 1937 lien in full,	30 19

Wallace Hines, applied on 1937 lien,	10 00
Thomas Mansfield, applied on 1937 lien,	4 50
Mattie Irish, 1938 lien in full,	55 25
Arthur Drapeau, buildings on Woodrow land,	50 00
F. G. Davis, applied on 1937 lien,	10 00
Arthur Ransom, 1938 lien in full,	8 96
P. H. Leavitt, 1937 lien in full,	95 16
Gladys Benson, 1937 lien in full,	39 32
F. O. Trask, applied on 1937 lien,	24 00
P. T. Bradford, applied on 1938 lien,	20 00
State of Maine, reimbursement snow plowing,	414 42
A. P. Richards, 1937 lien in full,	13 00
Mildred Reed, applied on Wm. M. Hobbs Est.,	10 00
Henry Hooper, chloride,	4 65
State of Maine, bank stock,	35 16
G. W. Sias, 1938 lien Norman Bray,	9 00
Walter Jarvis, old bus,	10 00
Dorion Beliveau, applied on Reynolds lien,	1 00
Goulet & Sons, 1937-38-39 liens in full,	93 99
State of Maine, highway department,	1,735 86
E. B. Morse, 1938 poll of Fred Strictland,	3 00
Edgar Hyer, refund of poor relief,	5 00
Dominici Gallucci, 1936 lien in full,	10 79
H. E. Kilbreth, 1937 lien in full,	15 47
Lula Grey, rent,	5 00
Edith Russell, chloride,	6 20
Tax Coll. Fayette, Coffren property,	17 00
Walter Mathews, 1938 tax, bridge plank,	120 00
A. K. Steurk, Keene wood lot,	26 89
I. M. Hodges, int. on T. C. school building fund,	100 00
Forest Austin, overpaid,	16 00
Alice Hodgman, applied on 1938 lien,	37 60
Luther Bradford, applied on back taxes,	10 00
State of Maine, use of grader,	7 50
Herbert Huntington, 1938 lien in full,	14 10
State of Maine, maintenance of unimproved rd.,	141 77
Town of Turner, 5% highway patrol,	1,171 50

Ralph Polly, 1938 lien in full,	31 51
P. F. Jones, 1935-37-38 liens in full,	179 59
State Highway Department,	1,142 67
State of Maine, school special project,	500 00
State of Maine, 3rd class maint. & construction,	500 75
Joseph Albert, 1938 lien Decoster Est.,	26 77
Walter K. Clark, 1938 lien in full,	171 28
State of Maine, dog licenses refunded,	132 27
State of Maine, school fund,	2,545 46
State of Maine, R. R. & Tel. tax,	10 40
Home Owners Loan Assn., 1938 lien of Lila Bradford,	75 20
State of Maine, special resolve,	999 99
E. B. Hodsdon, dog licenses,	6 70
City of Lewiston, credit, John O'Connor,	11 00
Harry Fish, 1938 lien in full,	54 49
Marguerite Libby, 1938 lien in full,	10 36
Harry Lowell, 1938 lien in full,	52 47
L. C. Bradford, applied on back taxes,	5 00
Town of Mexico, Roy Mason,	81 43
A. A. Newell, applied on 1937 lien,	4 50
Town of Turner, State aid tar,	225 67
A. R. Bonney, 1939 lien in full,	40 86
Reginald Durgin, 1939 lien in full,	19 35
John Dorion, 1939 lien in full,	5 33
George Talbot, 1939 lien in full,	60 50
Lena Timberlake, 1933-34-35-36 liens,	118 25
Mrs. H. A. Walker, 1939 lien O. H. Sadden,	27 70
Rena A. Winslow, 1939 lien in full,	123 90
E. H. Shaw, chloride,	3 10
E. L. Thomas, 1938-39 liens of H. E. Kilbreth,	28 56
Mertie Kilgore, applied on 1939 lien,	18 65
Loring, Short & Harmon, returned, overpaid,	6 00
Merle Hutchinson, 1938 lien in full,	47 38
I. M. Hodges, Keene note, interest, schools,	62 65
C. E. Foster Co., 1939 lien in full,	112 43
Alden Green, 1939 lien in full,	16 80

Alden Green, 1939 lien, Bertha Green,	78 00
A. E. Wilson, 1939 lien in full,	93 30
P. G. Sawyer, milk, etc.,	118 03
H. G. Knight, hay loader, from town farm,	59 00
E. B. Morse, collector, polls,	1,293 00
E. B. Morse, collector, excise tax,	1,998 14
E. B. Morse, collector, real and personal,	44,479 19
P. G. Sawyer, milk, etc.,	114 71
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Total,	\$ 81,813 56
Paid as per warrants of the Selectmen	
from 1 to 26 inclusive,	\$ 80,172 96
Cash on hand February 1, 1940,	1,640 60
Received from Mr. Morse, collector,	
Resident tax liens in the amount of	\$ 5,456 80
Non-Resident liens,	932 62
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	\$ 6,389 42

RESIDENT LIENS INCLUDING COST FOR 1939

H. L. Abbott,	\$ 112 95
B. E. Alden,	27 00
Elmer E. Alden,	67 50
Cora Berry,	24 45
Elwin W. Bates,	11 70
Gladys Benson,	37 20
B. R. Beals,	144 30
A. D. Brackett,	67 80
P. T. Bradford,	32 10
W. B. Bradford, heirs of,	65 51
L. C. Bradford,	78 00
N. R. Berry,	9 15
Merritt N. Bates,	42 30
Wesley Bennett,	7 88
W. P. Barrell,	164 70
Emma Bradford, heirs of,	14 25
H. A. Chase,	164 70

Frances Cavalier,	29 33
A. O. Chase,	42 30
Walter K. Clark,	174 90
C. C. Chase,	37 20
George Coombs, heirs of,	57 60
Alfred and Frances Dunn,	27 00
J. Willard Dunn,	139 20
Frank K. Davis, heirs of,	11 70
Edmond Davis,	22 50
Frank G. Davis,	123 90
G. B. Davis, heirs of,	19 35
Durgin & Bernard,	5 33
Frank Durgin,	9 15
Francis Donovan,	55 05
Blanch Durgin,	62 70
Ray D. Fish,	72 90
Albert Fortin,	19 35
Eland Fuller, heirs of,	57 60
A. S. French,	144 30
Joseph Fisher,	108 60
Henry Fisher,	4 05
F. J. Farnum,	42 30
Harry Fish,	44 29
Charles Gauthier,	37 20
Henry P. Gauthier,	27 00
Jennie Gauthier,	27 00
Adelaide Gallant,	19 35
Napoleon Garceau,	10 43
Alfred Gillis,	93 30
Joseph Gagnon,	20 63
George Gauthier,	53 78
Clara Greenlaw,	39 75
Lauren Gilbert, paid Feb. 7,	24 45
William Gauthier,	34 65
Daniel T. Hillman,	52 50
Elmer T. Hendricks,	52 50
Abel Heikkinen,	39 90

H. A. Hanson,	78 00
Dwight Hannon,	7 88
Shirley Hobbs,	52 50
Merle Hutchinson,	47 40
Hazel Hanson,	32 10
C. E. Hood,	19 62
Lena Hogge,	13 23
Wallace and Ruth Hines,	34 65
Matte Irish,	57 60
P. F. Jones,	52 50
Esabella C. Jones,	88 20
Bessie Kilbreth,	7 88
Stanley King,	21 90
Lizzie Kyllonen,	62 70
Mertie Kilgore,	41 50
Walter Lawrence, heirs of,	154 50
Almon Lawrence,	9 15
P. H. Leavitt,	122 88
J. Kenneth Libby,	9 15
Harry Lowell,	52 50
David Labbe,	78 00
Helen Mann,	21 90
Harold W. Maxwell,	47 40
Lila Marden,	32 10
E. J. & Maeville McConnell,	32 10
Thomas Mansfield,	6 60
Florence Mason,	14 25
H. E. McAllister,	16 80
A. A. Newell,	14 25
Naomi Osler Est.,	62 70
John O'Connor,	2 52
Glenna Mae O'Connor,	78 00
Ralph Polley,	32 10
Owen K. Pillsbury,	4 05
Winnifred Pulsifer,	37 20
C. A. Poole,	32 90
C. C. Pillsbury,	4 05

C. C. Pillsbury,	4 05
E. P. Richardson, heirs of,	37 20
Arthur Ransom,	9 15
Frank L. Records,	14 25
Mildred Reed,	19 35
Evelyn Smith,	32 10
Clarence Shorey,	9 15
E. H. Sampson,	52 50
L. H. Sawtelle,	72 90
Victor L. Safford,	67 80
Fred Tirrell,	65 25
Fred O. Trask,	23 43
Thomas Tunney,	21 90
Roy E. Timberlake,	36 13
Clara Tobin,	32 10
Julia Trundy,	11 70
Frank Volanto,	11 70
Charles Warren,	101 50
Georgia Whiting,	7 88
J. B. Willard,	35 93
R. L. Whiting,	78 00

\$ 5,141 26

NON-RESIDENT LIENS INCLUDING COST 1939

Federal Land Bank,	\$ 62 70
M. J. Brooks,	6 60
Alice Belanger,	27 00
Adelaide Bernice and Joseph Ouellette,	11 70
Pauline Boothby,	47 40
Dorion Beliveau,	11 70
Ralph Burchstead,	72 90
George Bradbury,	6 60
Andrew Cote,	6 60
Henry Conant, heirs of,	9 15
Howard Cody,	11 70

Doris Faunce,	11 70
Amos Foster,	5 33
D. H. Fish, heirs of,	26 90
A. L. Foster & L. E. Ricker,	32 10
H. A. Garcelon,	5 33
E. L. Harlow, heirs of,	108 60
Charles Jalbert,	42 30
Frank King, heirs of,	57 60
Ralph LaRose,	21 90
Conrad Labbe,	32 10
George O'Donnell,	24 45
Mary Owen, Devisee,	37 20
Clara Roderick,	6 60
Mildred Sweetser,	21 90
George Soucier,	11 70
Walter Thurston,	16 80
Audrey Willard, paid Feb. 8,	19 35
Raymond Willard, paid Feb. 8,	11 70
Adeline Woodard,	3 54
Annie E. Washburn,	8 64
Waterman & Allen,	18 50
Katie M. Gilmore, Est.,	72 90

	\$ 871 19

RESIDENT LIENS 1938

Norman Berry,	\$ 9 22
B. R. Beals,	164 40
Dorion Beliveau,	11 76
Merritt Bates,	42 29
Gladys Benson,	37 20
George O. Bradbury,	6 66
Pauline Boothby,	47 38
W. B. Bradford, heirs of,	65 44
Cora Berry,	24 48
P. T. Bradford,	11 76
L. C. Bradford,	77 91

W. P. Barrell,	165 89
H. A. Chase,	164 40
A. O. Chase,	42 29
George Coombs, Est.,	57 55
F. G. Davis,	123 70
J. W. Dunn,	108 77
F. K. Davis, Est.,	12 16
Frances Donovan,	55 01
G. B. Davis, Est.,	19 39
F. J. Farnum,	42 29
D. H. Fish, Est.,	27 03
Joseph Fisher,	55 43
A. P. French, Est.,	123 70
Edmond Davis,	52 47
Eland Fuller, Est.,	57 55
Kate Gilmore, Est.,	72 82
Charles Gauthier,	37 20
Mildred Gauthier,	27 03
George Gauthier,	53 74
William Gauthier,	34 66
Clara Greenlaw,	39 75
Joseph Gagnon,	20 67
H. A. Garcelon,	5 40
Joseph Gauthier, heirs,	52 47
Jennie Gauthier,	27 03
William Hobbs, heirs,	9 16
William Hobbs, Est.,	21 94
J. W. Hodgman,	28 95
Elmer Hendricks,	52 47
H. A. Hanson,	77 91
Harry P. Hannon,	9 22
Dwight Hannon,	7 95
Lena Hogge,	13 29
Charles Huntington,	4 13
C. E. Hood,	29 99
Earl Hanson,	32 11
Shirley Hobbs,	52 47

Lizzie Kylloinen,	62	64
Florence Kekligan,	11	76
P. H. Leavitt,	82	99
Kenneth Libby,	9	22
Ralph and Louise Larose,	21	94
Thomas Mansfield,	6	67
Harold Maxwell,	39	83
E. J. and Maeville McConnell,	32	11
Naomi Osler, Est.,	62	64
John O'Connor,	2	57
C. A. Poole,	72	82
L. H. Sawtelle,	72	82
E. H. Sampson,	47	38
Fred O. Trask,	23	46
Clara Tobin,	32	11
Fred Tirrell,	65	19
Frank Volanto,	11	76
Ralph Whiting,	28	12
Florence Mason,	14	31
	\$	3,016 83

NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1938

Albert Belanger,	\$	14	31
Andrew Cote,		6	67
C. A. Day, Est.,		11	76
Gallucci Dominia,		9	22
Mary Drouin,		11	76
Charles Dube, Jr.,		11	76
Ray D. Fish,		72	82
Doris Faunce,		11	76
Adelaide Gallant,		19	39
Sarah Irvine,		17	27
Ovesmie Plude,		4	13
Lonzo P. Richards,		10	26
Clara Roderick,		6	67
Alfreda Soucier,		27	79

George J. Soucier,	12 16
Mildred Sweetser,	21 94
J. C. Woodrow, Est.,	30 61
Leon Whitman,	77 91

	\$ 378 19

RESIDENT LIENS 1937

W. B. Bradford, heirs of,	\$ 84 39
W. P. Barrell,	192 92
George Bradbury,	44 72
L. C. Bradford,	89 99
George M. Coombs, Est.,	66 33
A. O. Chase,	32 99
H. A. Chase,	190 08
F. K. Davis, Est.,	13 91
F. G. Davis,	45 11
Frances Donovan,	23 79
George B. Davis, Est.,	22 29
F. J. Farnum,	48 80
Eland Fuller, Est.,	66 44
D. H. Fish, Est.,	42 89
Jennie Gauthier,	31 12
Charles E. Gauthier,	42 89
William Gauthier,	39 95
Joseph Gagnon,	23 75
Joseph Gauthier, heirs of,	60 55
George Gauthier,	60 55
Clara Greenlaw,	23 36
Lena Hogge,	15 22
H. A. Hanson,	89 99
Shirley Hobbs,	53 32
Wallace Hines,	29 65
William H. Hobbs,	25 22
David Labbe,	89 99
Florence Mason,	16 39
Thomas Mansfield,	2 92

Maeville McConnell,	19	34
E. J. McConnell,	34	91
Albert Newell,	6	80
Naomi Osler, Est.,	72	33
C. A. Poole,	84	11
L. H. Sawtelle,	38	95
Clarence Shorey,	10	51
Fred O. Trask,	2	36
J. C. Woodrow,	20	88

		\$ 1,859 71

NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1937

Albert Belanger,	\$	16	39
Dorion Beliveau,		13	45
Andrew Cote,		7	56
Minnie M. Davis, Est.,		28	17
Mary Drouin,		13	45
C. A. Day, heirs of,		31	12
Doris Faunce,		13	45
Dominie Gallucci,		10	51
Adelaide Gallant,		16	19
Sarah Irvine,		7	56
Smith Lander,		10	51
Alfred and Emeline Poirier,		13	45
Oresimal Plude,		4	62
W. V. Smith,		25	22
George J. Soucier,		13	45
Alfreda Soucier,		31	12

			\$ 256 22

RESIDENT LIENS 1936

W. B. Bradford, Est.,	\$	88	79
L. C. Bradford,		94	66
F. K. Davis,		14	64
Francis Donovan,		48	70

F. J. Farnum,	51	32
Joseph Gagnon,	25	00
Jennie Gauthier,	14	88
Charles Gauthier,	45	13
Joseph Gauthier, heirs of,	63	71
Mildred Gauthier,	8	92
William Gauthier,	57	51
George Gauthier,	38	29
H. A. Hanson,	35	68
Lena Hogge,	15	95
T. H. Kaulbach,	4	67
Florence Mason,	17	26
E. J. McConnell,	57	51
John O'Connor,	3	02
Mary Phinney,	23	45
Frank Verboncourt,	14	16
Leon Whitman,	89	06
	\$	812 31

NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1936

Cote Brothers,	\$	4	87
C. A. Day, Est.,		32	74
Mary Drouin,		14	18
C. H. Gordon,		38	93
George Gowles,		3	31
Sarah Irvine,		7	97
Oresimal Plude,		4	86
Alfreda Soucier,		33	88
	\$	140	74

RESIDENT LIENS 1935

John O'Connor,	\$	3	22
E. J. and Maeville McConnell,		23	26
Lena Hogge,		1	78
William Hobbs,		3	28
Joseph Gauthier, Est.,		68	53

William Gauthier,	66 86
Charles Gauthier,	48 53
H. A. Garcelon,	10 56
George Gauthier,	15 21
F. J. Farnum,	55 20
L. C. Bradford,	100 75

	\$ 297 18

NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1935

R. A. Barnstone,	\$ 35 21
Cote Brothers,	8 54
Mary Drouin,	15 21
C. A. Day,	35 21
C. H. Kaulbach,	5 20
Oresimal Plude,	5 20
Alfreda Soucier,	35 21
Mary Shapiro,	18 55

	\$ 158 33

RESIDENT LIENS 1934

L. C. Bradford,	\$ 79 96
George Gowles,	2 60
Charles Gauthier,	46 00
Joseph Gauthier, heirs of,	64 88
H. A. Garcelon,	20 86
Ed. P. Smith,	53 54
Harry Starbird,	43 39

	\$ 311 23

NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1934

R. A. Barnstone,	\$ 33 44
Desneiger Casy,	14 56
Andrew Cote,	7 84
C. A. Day, heirs of,	12 03
Mary Drouin,	14 56

Dominic Gallucci,	11 42
Valnar Lacouisiere,	17 71
Grace Reynolds,	14 22
L. L. Snell,	8 27
Alfreda Soucier,	33 44

	\$ 167 49

RESIDENT LIENS 1933

Joseph Gauthier, heirs of,	\$ 59 20
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NON-RESIDENT LIENS 1933

Mary Drouin,	\$ 13 73
Andrew Cote,	7 90
Alfreda Soucier,	31 41
Grace Reynolds,	12 72

	\$ 65 76

OUTSTANDING NOTES AND BONDS

February 1, 1940

Note No. 2	Turner Village Cemetery Assn.	\$ 1,700 00
3	Ministerial and Grammar School Fund,	10,000 00
6	Christia Young,	2,000 00
7	Charles Talbot,	1,000 00
8	Flora Talbot,	2,500 00
13	Turner Village Cemetery Assn.,	3,300 00
14	Emily J. Parsons,	2,000 00
15	Arthur Irish,	2,000 00
16	Universalist Parish,	4,000 00
18	Fred E. Young,	500 00
19	Delana Tucker,	1,400 00
20	Flora Stetson,	1,000 00
21	Vesta Knight,	1,500 00
22	Keene Note, Common Schools,	1,566 43

34	Arthur Irish,	2,000 00
35	Turner Village Cemetery Assn.,	700 00
37	Manufacturers National Bank,	5,000 00
	Railroad Bond, Last,	1,000 00
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		\$ 43,166 43

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS, FEB. 1, 1940

Nellie M. DeCoster, Bear Pond,	\$ 105 07
John Y. and Harry Wood, Bear Pond,	344 75
Frederick S. Richmond, Howes Corner,	125 93
Ardelia Bradford, Centreville,	105 09
Harrison & Jannette DeCoster, Bear Pond,	106 38
Elmer E. Adkins, Centerville,	89 45
Nathan Haskell, Centreville,	52 54
Horace Cary, North Parish,	53 89
Randilla Willard, Bear Pond,	107 67
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	\$ 1,090 77

COMMON SCHOOL TRUST FUND

February 1, 1940

John A. Durgin, Fund,	\$ 216 17
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MEMORIAL FUND TO THE WORLD WAR BOYS
1914-1918

Androscoggin County Savings Bank,	\$ 447 38
Manufacturers National Bank,	430 12
First National Bank, Auburn Rooms,	342 99
First National Bank, Lewiston,	432 12
Mechanics Savings Bank,	439 14
Rumford Falls Trust Co.,	428 13
First Auburn Trust Co.,	599 07
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	\$ 3,118 95

As we understand the Lien Law all Liens automatically foreclose in eighteen months from the date of recording, that being the case the Liens listed under the years of 1937-1936-1935-1934 and 1933 are foreclosed and technically speaking the property covered by those Liens belongs to the Town.

My suggestion is that we try to have less Liens next year and I feel sure we can if we all pull together in this way, viz: When we have a dollar or a few dollars that we can spare, turn it over to the Collector and receive credit on the back of your tax bill; do not feel that you must wait until you have the whole amount of the tax but make a payment just as often as you can; now if we can do this we will have money coming in through the summer to pay bills with. Remember, all or nearly all of the money that the town has to pay bills with is the tax money or money hired in anticipation of taxes.

Let's do some team work next year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. HASKELL,

Treasurer.

**Report of White Pine Blister Rust
Control Work
UNITED STATES**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine

January, 1940

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Turner, Me.
Gentlemen:

We wish to show by the following report, the results obtained in your town on blister rust control work during 1939.

It has been a pleasure to have the cooperation of the selectmen and townspeople in our efforts to control this disease.

A crew was employed consisting of six W. P. A. men.
 No. of acres worked by crew, 2,858
 No. of wild currant and gooseberry bushes
 pulled, 55,984
 Amount of W. P. A. funds for labor, \$1,547 84
 Amount of W. P. A. funds for transportation, 28 43

Total amount spent for control work, \$1,576 27

Through the assistance of W. P. A. funds, we have made excellent progress in controlling this disease during the past few years. As there are additional white pine lands in your town which need protection, it is our desire to continue the control work this coming season.

As we did not use any town funds during the past season, we trust that you will hold over the 1939 appropriation, thus making it available in case we should need it during 1940.

Very truly yours,

G. H. KIMBALL,

Chief Scientific Aid, Plant Disease Control.

U. S. Department of Agriculture and
Maine Forest Service, cooperating agencies.

No.	
A-1	Other
C-1	Health
D-1	Road
D-2	Snow
D-3	Street
D-4	Construction
D-5	New
D-6	Maintenance
D-7	Construction
D-8	Maintenance
D-9	Cutting
D-10	Calculation
D-11	Unincorporated
D-12	Repairs
E-1	Poor
E-2	Town
E-3	Moth
H-1	Com
H-2	Text
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**Report of White Pine Blister Rust
Control Work
UNITED STATES**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine
January, 1940

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Turner, Me.
Gentlemen:

We wish to show by the following report, the results obtained in your town on blister rust control work during 1939.

It has been a pleasure to have the cooperation of the selectmen and townspeople in our efforts to control this disease.

A crew was employed consisting of six W. P. A. men.
 No. of acres worked by crew, 2,858
 No. of wild currant and gooseberry bushes
 pulled, 55,984
 Amount of W. P. A. funds for labor, \$1,547 84
 Amount of W. P. A. funds for transportation, 28 43

Total amount spent for control work, \$1,576 27

Through the assistance of W. P. A. funds, we have made excellent progress in controlling this disease during the past few years. As there are additional white pine lands in your town which need protection, it is our desire to continue the control work this coming season.

As we did not use any town funds during the past season, we trust that you will hold over the 1939 appropriation, thus making it available in case we should need it during 1940.

Very truly yours,

G. H. KIMBALL,
Chief Scientific Aid, Plant Disease Control,
U. S. Department of Agriculture and
Maine Forest Service, cooperating agencies.

SUMMARY OF THE FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1940

No.	Account	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Unexpected Balance Previous Year	Overdraft Balance Previous Year	Appropriated by Town	Received from State	Received from Other Sources	Transferred to this Account(1+3+4+5+6-2)	Total Amount Available	Expended per Warrants on from this Account	Transferred Amount from this Account	Overdraft Balances	Unexpected Balances
A-1	Other Town Charges,	\$ 671.80	\$	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 185.58	\$ 2,843.83	\$ 4,813.21	\$ 3,754.93	\$			
C-1	Health and Red Cross,			100.00			100.00	100.00				
D-1	Roads and Bridges,	47.53		4,500.00	767.09			5,314.62	5,244.99		69.63	
D-2	Snow Removal,	1,077.42		2,500.00	414.42	29.00		4,020.84	2,598.51		1,422.33	
D-3	Street Lights,	20.11		600.00				620.11	567.00		53.11	
D-4	Construction of Special Resolve Road,		63.18		1,002.99			939.81	1,087.04		147.23	
D-5	New Construction of State Aid Road,		170.42	999.00	3,104.20		170.62	4,103.40	7,973.40	999.00	4,869.00	
D-6	Maintenance of Third Class Road,	345.48		1,078.00	500.75			1,924.23	950.86	500.75	472.62	
D-7	Construction of Third Class Road,											
D-8	Maintenance of State and State Aid Road,	603.60		Transferred by State Highway Dept. to State Aid Road Acct.				2,203.60	1,171.50		1,032.10	
D-9	Cutting Bushes,	2.60		200.00				202.60	185.84		16.76	
D-10	Calcium Chloride,	22.82		100.00				136.77	139.50		2.73	
D-11	Unimproved R.F.D. Roads (5%),				1,313.27			1,313.27	1,313.27			
D-12	Repairs of Schoolhouse Hill,	200.58						200.58			200.58	
E-1	Poor Relief,		1,851.21	2,800.00	1,401.79	500.36		2,850.94	7,258.21	123.99	4,531.26	
E-2	Town Farm,		941.29	500.00		1,841.79		1,400.50	3,080.44		1,679.94	
E-3	Mothers' Aid,	55.45		150.00				205.45	202.50		2.95	
H-1	Common Schools,	107.34		7,500.00	2,545.46	225.66	123.99	10,502.45	10,587.97		85.52	
H-2	Text Books and Supplies,		30.68	600.00		10.00	10.75	590.07	563.28		26.79	
H-3	School Repairs and Maintenance,		40.14	600.00		5.00		564.86	563.00		1.86	
H-4	Tuition, Leavitt Institute,			4,250.00				4,250.00	4,250.00			
H-5	Domestic Science and Agr., Leavitt Institute,			1,000.00				1,000.00	1,000.00			
H-6	School Lights,	44.14		75.00				119.14	84.69	10.75	23.70	
H-7	School Musical Instruction,		30.73	300.00				269.27	249.74		19.53	
H-8	Supt. of Schools, Salary,	8.15		520.00				528.15	513.00		15.15	
K-1	Memorial Day,			75.00				75.00	75.00			
K-2	Old Age Assistance,						1,499.75	1,499.75	749.88		749.87	
N-1	Interest on Debt,	18.69		2,000.00			68.11	2,049.42	2,396.28		346.86	
N-2	Reduction of Debt,		974.88	2,500.00				1,525.12			1,525.12	
N-3	Payment of R. R. Bond,			1,000.00				1,000.00	1,000.00			
P-1	State Tax,			8,392.83				8,392.83	8,392.83			
P-2	County Tax,			2,233.10				2,233.10	2,233.10			
S-1	Pine Blister Rust,	.81		300.00				300.81			300.81	
S-2	Snow Equipment Fund,		2,177.44					(-2,177.44)			2,177.44	
S-3	Turner Center Schoolhouse,	3,941.48		2,500.00	500.00	100.00		7,041.48	6,984.65		56.83	
S-4	Chase's Mills Bridge,		1,930.03				1,930.03					
S-5	Cemetery Improvements,			75.00				75.00	56.30		18.70	
S-6	Public Library,			200.00				200.00	200.00			
S-7	Transfers to Accounts not listed,									170.62	170.62	
3	Excise Tax,					1,998.14		1,998.14		1,998.14		
14	Temporary Loans,					10,700.00		10,700.00	5,000.00		5,700.00	
	Total,											
		\$ 7,149.31	\$ 8,228.69	\$ 50,347.93	\$ 11,735.55	\$ 18,144.03	\$ 3,803.25	\$ 83,087.08	\$ 80,527.71	\$ 3,803.25	\$ 14,010.60	\$ 12,766.72

STATEMENT OF IMPORTANT FACTS OF PREVIOUS YEARS AS TO FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN

Year	Amount of Auto Excise Tax Collected	Town Debt	Valuation of Property	Tax Rate	Commitment to Collector (Common)	Raised for Schools (Common)	Raised for Leavitt Institute	Raised for Roads and Bridges	Raised for Snow Removal	Debt Limit by Law	Amount of Outstanding Tax Deeds and Tax Liens on Personal Property	Amount of Uncollected Taxes
1930-31	\$65,526.06	\$1,104,370.00	\$47.00	\$53,075.39	\$8,500.00	\$5,702.00	\$10,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$55,218.50	\$4,091.69	\$ 828.28	
1931-32	62,966.43	1,088,450.00	54.00	60,108.42	9,500.00	5,500.00	10,000.00	2,500.00	54,422.50	6,566.82	1,220.00	
1932-33	57,166.43	1,068,860.00	47.00	51,507.07	8,500.00	3,500.00	6,000.00	2,500.00	53,443.00	7,869.14	559.89	
1933-34	\$1,918.01	50,966.43	1,015,170.00	41.00	42,882.50	6,500.00	2,450.00	4,000.00	750.00	50,758.50	5,390.90	246.26
1934-35	1,805.82	54,266.43	1,008,846.00	47.00	48,663.76	6,200.00	3,500.00	4,900.00	4,000.00	50,442.30	8,193.20	709.45
1935-36	1,841.68	47,166.43	1,008,429.00	52.80	54,454.05	6,200.00	3,850.00	4,900.00	6,500.00	50,421.45	9,739.01	79.44
1936-37	2,029.06	45,466.43	1,007,032.00	52.00	53,607.66	7,000.00	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,000.00	50,351.60	11,406.27	53.76
1937-38	1,881.64	39,791.43	1,013,641.00	52.40	54,372.51	8,000.00	5,000.00	4,500.00	3,000.00	50,682.00	10,795.89	33.69
1938-39	1,932.77	38,466.43	1,019,104.00	48.00	50,199.38	7,500.00	5,000.00	4,500.00	1,500.00	50,955.20	12,241.70	0.00
1939-40	1,998.14	43,166.43	1,002,998.00	51.00	52,659.16	7,500.00	4,250.00	4,500.00	2,500.00	50,149.90	13,535.64	0.00

TOWN OF TURNER
RECONCILIATION OF ALL ACCOUNTS
February 1, 1940

Title of Account	Opening	Cash	Tax	Journal	Warrants	Total	Opening	Cash Paid	Appropriation	Cash	Journal	Total	Balance Sheet at Close	
	Entry-Dr.	Received	Commitment	Drs.	Paid	Debits	Entry-Cr.	by Treas.		Credits	Credits	Credits	Assets Dr.	Liabilities Cr.
Cash,	\$ 3,678.70	\$ 78,134.86	\$ 52,474.51	\$ 184.65	\$ 81,813.56	\$ 52,659.16	\$ 45,772.19	\$ 6,886.97	\$ 80,172.96	\$ 52,659.16	\$ 1,640.60	\$ 1,640.60		
Taxes - 1939,														
Taxes - 1937,		18.76				18.76							17.19	
Taxes - 1936,		.81				.81							.81	
Taxes - 1935,		3.96				3.96							3.96	
Taxes - 1934,		144.17				144.17							144.17	
Taxes - 1933,		122.50				122.50							122.50	
Taxes - 1932,		148.54				148.54							148.54	
Excise Tax,														
Tax Liens and Deeds,														
Taxes Assessed on U. S. Gov. Farms,	12,241.70	6,389.42	18,631.12											
Trust Funds Invested,	134.40	142.80	277.20											
NET TOWN DEBT,	4,194.88	231.01	4,425.89											
Bonds Payable - Railroad,														
Notes Payable - Individuals,														
Ministerial and School Fund Note,														
Temporary Loans,														
Trust Fund Reserve:														
Memorial Fund,														
Durgin School Fund,														
Cemetery Funds,														
Other Town Charges,														
Health and Red Cross,														
Roads and Bridges,														
Snow Removal,														
Street Lights,														
Special Resolve Construction,	63.18													
State Aid Road Construction,	170.42													
Third Class Road Maintenance,														
Patrol Maintenance,														
Cutting Bushes,														
Calcium Chloride,														
Unimproved Roads Maintenance,														
Repairs to Schoolhouse Hill,														
All Poor Relief,	1,851.21													
Town Farm,	941.29													
Mothers' Aid,														
Common Schools,														
Textbooks and Supplies,	30.68													
School Repairs,	40.14													
High School Tuition,														
Domestic Science and Agriculture,														
School Lights,														
School Music,	30.73													
Superintendent's Salary,														
Memorial Day,														
Old Age Assistance,														
Interest,	18.69													
Reduction in Town Debt,	974.88													
Payment on Bonds,														
State Tax,														
County Tax,														
Pine Blister Rust Control,														
Overlay,														
Snow Removal Equipment Account,	2,177.44													
Turner Center Schoolhouse,														
Chase's Mill Bridge,	1,930.03													
Cemetery Improvements,														
Public Library,														

\$ 49,810.62 \$ 78,134.86 \$ 52,474.51 \$ 14,232.46 \$ 80,172.96 \$ 274,825.41 \$ 49,810.62 \$ 80,172.96 \$ 52,474.51 \$ 78,134.86 \$ 14,232.46 \$ 274,825.41 \$ 54,659.04 \$ 54,659.04

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

Augusta, Maine, February 15, 1940

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Turner:

This is to certify that this department, represented by Mr. G. C. Lewis, has completed an audit of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 1, 1940.

Our report, herewith submitted, was prepared from your town records and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, properly reflects the true financial condition of your municipality as of the above date.

The schedules contained in this report are as follows:

Comparative Balance Sheet,

Report of Treasurer,

Schedule of 1939 Valuation and Commitment,

Schedule of Notes Payable—Bonded Debt,

Schedule of Trust Funds,

Reconciliation of All Accounts.

We wish to thank your town officials for their co-operation during the course of this audit.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT,

HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,

Chief Auditor.

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

February 1, 1940

Assets

	Feb. 1, 1939	Feb. 1, 1940
Cash,	\$ 3,678 70	\$ 1,640 60
1937 Taxes,	18 76	17 19
1936 Taxes,	81	81
1935 Taxes,	3 96	3 96
1934 Taxes,	144 17	144 17
1933 Taxes,	122 50	122 50
1932 Taxes,	148 54	148 54
Tax Liens and Deeds,	12,241 70	14,103 67
Taxes Assessed on U. S. Gov.		
Farms, 1938,	134 40	4 80
Taxes Assessed on U. S. Gov.		
Farms, 1939,		142 80
Trust Funds Invested,	4,194 88	4,425 89
Overdrawn Balances		
Special Resolve Construction,	\$ 63 18	\$ 147 23
State Aid Road Construction,	170 42	4,869 00
Calcium Chloride,		2 73
Poor Relief,	1,851 21	4,531 26
Town Farm,	941 29	1,679 94
Common Schools,		85 52
Textbooks and Supplies,	30 68	
School Repairs,	40 14	
School Music,	30 73	
Interest,	18 69	346 86
Reduction of Town Debt,	974 88	
Snow Removal Equipment,	2,177 44	2,177 44
Chase's Mill Bridge,	1,930 03	
Net Town Debt,	20,893 51	20,064 13
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	\$ 49,810 62	\$ 54,659 04

Liabilities

	Feb. 1, 1939	Feb. 1, 1940
Railroad Bonds Payable,	\$ 2,000 00	\$ 1,000 00
Notes Payable, Individual,	26,466 43	26,466 43
Ministerial & School Fund Note,	10,000 00	10,000 00
Notes Payable, Temporary Loans,		5,700 00

Trust Fund Reserve

Memorial Fund,	2,945 13	3,118 95
Durgin School Fund,	205 73	216 17
Cemetery Funds,	1,044 02	1,090 77

Unexpended Balances

Other Town Charges,	671 80	1,058 28
Roads and Bridges,	47 53	69 63
Snow Removal,	1,077 42	1,422 33
Street Lights,	20 11	53 11
Third Class Road Maintenance,	345 48	472 62
Patrol Maintenance,	603 60	1,032 10
Cutting Bushes,	2 60	16 76
Calcium Chloride,	22 82	
Repairs to Schoolhouse Hill,	200 58	200 58
Mothers' Aid,	55 45	2 95
Common Schools,	107 34	
Textbooks and Supplies,		26 79
School Repairs,		1 86
School Lights,	44 14	23 70
School Music,		19 53
Superintendent's Salary,	8 15	15 15
Old Age Assistance,		749 87
Reduction in Town Debt,		1,525 12
Pine Blister Rust Control,	81	300 81
Turner Center Schoolhouse,	3,941 48	56 83
Cemetery Improvements,		18 70
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	\$ 49,810 62	\$ 54,659 04

PROOF OF CHANGE IN NET DEBT

Net Debt, February 1, 1939,	\$ 20,893 51
Add: Adjustment in State Aid Road Account,	170 62

	\$ 21,064 13
Deduct: Payment on Bond,	1,000 00

Net Debt, February 1, 1940,	\$ 20,064 13

REPORT OF TREASURER

February 1, 1940

Cash on Hand, February 1, 1939, \$ 3,678 70

Receipts

Taxes:

Property and Poll

Current Year,	\$ 45,772 19
Prior Years,	1 57

Tax Deeds & Liens,

Prior Years,	4,527 45
Excise Tax,	1,998 14
Railroad & Telegraph Tax,	10 40
Bank Stock Tax,	36 16

Total from Taxes, \$ 52,344 91

Dog Licenses, 278 60

Departmental Receipts:

Highways,	7,145 67
Charities,	3,743 94
Education,	3,386 12
Miscellaneous,	535 62

Total Departmental Receipts, 14,811 35

Temporary Loans,	10,700 00
Total Receipts,	78,134 86
Total Available,	81,813 56
Total Warrants Paid,	80,172 96
Cash Balance, February 1, 1940,	\$ 1,640 60
Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance	
Check Book Balance,	
Overdraft, \$ 79 41	
Outstanding Checks, 1,747 90	
Total, \$ 1,668 49	
Bank Balance, \$ 1,668 49	
Cash Balance, \$ 1,640 60	
Check Book Balance,	
Overdraft, 79 41	
Difference, (Cash on Hand), \$ 1,720 01	

SCHEDEULE OF 1939 VALUATION

AND COMMITMENT

February 1, 1940

Valuation:

Real Estate, Resident,	\$ 511,370 00
Non-resident, 414,995 00	
Total Real Estate, \$ 926,365 00	
Personal Estate, Resident, 71,508 00	
Non-resident, 5,125 00	
Total Personal Estate, 76,633 00	
Total Valuation, \$ 1,002,998 00	

Commitment:

Valuation x Rate:

\$1,002,998 00 x .051	\$ 51,152 90
441 Polls at \$3.00	1,323 00
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	\$ 52,475 90
Loss in Computing Taxes,	1 39
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Total Commitment,	52,474 51
Supplemental Taxes,	184 65
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Total Charge to Collector,	\$ 52,659 16
Credit to Collector:	
Cash to Treasurer,	\$ 45,084 50
Abatements,	354 75
U. S. Gov. Farms Taxed,	142 80
Discount,	687 69
Tax Liens Recorded,	6,389 42
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Total Credit to Collector,	\$52,659 16

SCHEDULE OF NOTES PAYABLE

February 1, 1940

No.					
2	Demand	4%	Turner Village Cemetery Ass'n,	\$ 1,700 00	
3	Demand	4%	Ministerial & School Fund,	10,000 00	
6	Demand	4%	Christia Young,	2,000 00	
7	Demand	4%	Charles Talbot,	1,000 00	
8	Demand	4%	Flora Talbot,	2,500 00	
13	Demand	4%	Turner Village Cemetery Ass'n,	3,300 00	
14	Demand	4%	Emily J. Parsons,	2,000 00	
15	Demand	4%	Arthur Irish,	2,000 00	
16	Demand	4%	Universalist Parish,	4,000 00	
18	Demand	4%	Fred Young,	500 00	
19	Demand	4%	Delano Tucker,	1,400 00	
20	Demand	4%	Flora Stetson,	1,000 00	
21	Demand	4%	Vesta Knight,	1,500 00	
22	Demand	4%	Charles Keene School Fund,	1,566 43	
34	Demand	4%	Arthur Irish,	2,000 00	
35	Demand	4%	Turner Village Cemetery Ass'n,	700 00	
37	Demand	3%	Manufacturers National Bank,	5,000 00	
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					\$ 42,166.43

SCHEDULE OF BONDED DEBT

Purpose	Maturity	Rate	
Railroad Bond—Electric	1940	5%	\$ 1,000 00

SCHEDULE OF TRUST FUNDS

February 1, 1940

Purpose
Memorial Fund to the World War
Boy, 1914-18

Purpose	How Invested	Amount
Memorial Fund to the World War Boy, 1914-18	Androscoggin County Savings Bank, Book #55022, Manufacturers National Bank, Book #22353, First National Bank—Lewiston, Book #1033, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book #11215, Rumford Falls Trust Company, Book #23343, First Auburn Trust Company, Book #17070, First National Bank—Lewiston, Book #3620,	\$ 447 38 430 12 342 99 439 14 428 13 599 07 432 12
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		\$ 3,118 95
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		\$ 216 17
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John A. Durgin School Fund,
CEMETERY FUNDS:

Nellie M. DeCoster,
John Y. & Harry Wood,
Frederick S. Richmond,
Ardelia Bradford,
Harrison & Janette DeCoster,
Elmer E. Adkins,
Horace Cary,
Nathan Haskell,
Randilla Willard,

Auburn Savings Bank, Book #35739

First National Bank—Lewiston, Book #5777, First Auburn Trust Company, Book #11452, First Auburn Trust Company, Book #11453, Auburn Savings Bank, Book #30750, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book #12619, First National Bank—Lewiston, Book #1034, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book #13709, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book #15708, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book #15720,	105 07 344 75 125 93 105 09 106 38 89 45 53 89 52 54 107 67
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	\$ 4,425 89

(No withdrawals in 1939.)

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and citizens of the Town of Turner:

May I present for your consideration my fourteenth annual report of the Public School System in the Town of Turner.

This year has witnessed the completion of one of the greatest forward steps that the town has taken in Education during the past twenty-five years. The new two-room building completed at Turner Center is a structure of the best type that could be provided for the funds available. We cordially invite you to visit this building. The financial story may be found in another part of this report and need not be repeated here.

Many towns started a consolidation program from the wrong end. The idea of expecting one teacher to do the work of two or more has not proven satisfactory. However, the distribution of pupils in our schools today seems to work quite well. You will note from the chart that the teaching load has been equalized as much as possible.

During the coming school year an attempt will be made to follow the school calendar printed below. However, epidemics of disease may cause slight changes.

School calendar for 1940-'41:

Term	Begins	Ends	Weeks
First	September 9th	December 20th	15
Second	January 6th	February 21st	7
Third	March 4th	April 18th	7
Fourth	April 28th	June 13th	7
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Graduation Thursday, June 12th, 1941.

During the past few years we have often heard that the school population was on the decrease. For the nation as a whole this has been true. However for particular areas especially near cities the reverse has obtained. The decrease in the size of the family has been the chief reason for the decline in school attendance in general. The stabilization and in some cases the increase in school population in these near city areas is caused by the moving of city families to the country, made possible to a large extent by a more widespread use of the automobile. Following is a chart showing the size of the first grade in the Town of Turner during the past fifteen years.

Each x represents one pupil.

Average 35.8.

It would appear from the above chart that the population in the Town of Turner was remaining quite steady and that for the next few years we might expect our entrance classes to number about 35. This being true our present school facilities ought to be adequate.

This year the average of school rates is 12.75 mills while the average of municipal rates is 59.95 mills. According to a revision of the State Law, a Town to share in the State School Equalization Fund must have a school rate of 12.75 mills or over. The Town of Turner has a Tax Rate this year of 51 mills and a school rate of 11.3 mills thus depriving the town of additional funds through equalization.

There is another angle to this matter of finances that may be of interest to you. The average yearly wage of Elementary women teachers in the state is \$779.95. What is the average wage in the Town of Turner? \$599.76. For your school committee to pay wages equal to the average of the state it would be necessary to increase your appropriation for common schools by \$1,621.71. During the past few years the Town has decreased the appropriation for Common Schools by \$2,500.00 and at the same time the state has decreased its contribution by about \$600. A total decrease of \$3,100.00. We have at times been criticized for allowing a teacher who has been doing a satisfactory piece of work to move to another community where the wages are better. Under the circumstances existing how can we prevent this change?

Following are some charts showing the registration in the various schools and the list of teachers:

TURNER SCHOOL REGISTRATION, 1939-1940

School	Grades								Total
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Village Primary,	14	10	3	14		3	7	7	41
Village Grammar,					8				27
Center Primary,	6	6	2	10					32
Center Grammar,						16	5	11	32
North Turner Primary,	10	3	6	10		7	3	6	29
North Turner Grammar,					4	4	0	4	22
Howe's Corner,	0	2	3	4					20
Upper Street,	4	4	4	4	7				23
West Turner,	1	0	1	3	2	4	1	0	12
	35	25	19	45	31	30	23	30	238

TEACHING DATA

School	Teacher	Pupils	Experience
Village Primary,	Jane Wing	41	First year
Village Assistant,	Corinne McLaughlin		6 years
Village Grammar,	Olive Bradford	27	26 1/3 years
Center Primary,	Louise Sias	32	19 years
Center Grammar,	Hilda Libby	32	17 2/3 years
North Turner Primary,	Villa Walker	29	5 years
North Turner Grammar,	Clara Canwell	22	29 1/2 years
Howe's Corner,	Eunice Gould	20	19 years
Upper Street,	Madelene Skillings	23	13 1/2 years
West Turner,	Gladys Plant	12	5 1/3 years
Music,	Ruby Briggs		12 years

Average in years of experience—13.8.

Average pupils per teacher—23.5.

The close of the fiscal year shows the school accounts to be in good condition as you will note from the financial summaries which follow. The recommendations for the coming year contemplate about the same expenditures as during the past year.

An attempt will be made this year to combine the Local Red Cross work with the Lewiston Chapter of Red Cross. By this means it is planned to hold three Health Clinics, during which time Doctors, Nurses and Dental Hygienist will be available for examinations and conferences. These programs have worked well in other communities and should work well in Turner.

In closing my report I wish to thank all who have participated in making possible the work that has been done in our schools during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ISAIAH M. HODGES,

Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Account	Available	Expended	Balance	Overdrabt
Common Schools,	\$ 10,502.45	\$ 10,587.97		\$85.52
Books and Supplies,	579.32	552.53	26.79	
Lights,	119.14	95.44	23.70	
Music,	269.27	249.74	19.53	
Repairs,	564.86	563.00	1.86	
Turner Center School,	7,041.48	6,984.65	56.83	
Superintendent,	528.15	513.00	15.15	
Red Cross Service,	100.00	100.00		
	<hr/> \$ 19,704.67	<hr/> \$ 19,646.33	<hr/> \$143.86	<hr/> \$85.52
Balance in excess of overdrafts				\$58.34

TURNER SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1940-41

Estimated Expenses for Common Schools

Teachers,	\$ 5,600 00
Fuel,	400 00
Janitors,	600 00
Conveyance,	3,800 00
	<hr/> \$ 10,400 00

Estimated receipts:

State fund,	\$ 2,500 00
Receipts,	400 00
	<hr/> \$ 2,900 00
	<hr/> \$ 7,500 00

1940-41	Recommended Appropriations Last Year
\$ 7,500 00	Common Schools, \$ 7,500 00
600 00	Books and Supplies, 600 00
600 00	General Repairs, 600 00

75 00	Lights,	75 00
300 00	Music,	300 00
100 00	Red Cross Service,	100 00
500 00	Superintendent,	520 00

FINANCIAL SUMMARY, TURNER SCHOOLS
COMMON SCHOOLS

Dr.

Balance, 1939,	\$ 107 34
Appropriation,	7,500 00
State School Fund,	2,545 46
Keene Note,	62 65
Hartford, Tuition,	14 00
Greene, Tuition,	20 00
Lewiston, Conveyance,	237 00
Forrest Austin refund,	16 00
	————— \$ 10,502 45

Cr.

Expended:

Teachers,	\$ 5,645 00
Conveyance,	3,824 69
Fuel,	390 50
Janitors,	650 78
Rent,	77 00
	————— \$ 10,587 97
	—————

Overdraft,	\$ 85 52
Due from Lewiston,	\$ 237 50

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Dr.

Appropriation,	\$ 600 00
Walter Javens,	10 00
	————— \$ 610 00
Less overdraft, 1939,	30 68
	—————
	\$ 579 32

Cr.

Expended:

Books,	\$ 288 05
Supplies,	264 48
	—————
	\$ 552 53
Balance,	\$ 26 79

LIGHTS

Dr.

Balance, 1939,	\$ 44 14
Appropriation,	75 00
	—————
	\$ 119 14

Cr.

Expended,	\$ 95 44
Balance,	\$ 23 70

MUSIC

Dr.

Appropriation,	\$ 300 00
Less overdraft, 1939,	30 73
	—————
	\$ 269 27

Cr.

Expended,	\$ 249 74
Balance,	\$ 19 53

GENERAL REPAIRS

Dr.

Appropriation,	\$ 600 00
Lula Gray,	5 00
	—————
	\$ 605 00

Less overdraft, 1939,	40 14
	—————
	\$ 564 86

Cr.

Expended,	\$ 563 00
Balance,	\$ 1 86

TURNER CENTER SCHOOL HOUSE

Dr.

Balance, 1939,	\$ 3,941 48
Appropriation,	2,500 00
Interest,	100 00
State Fund,	500 00
	————— \$ 7,041 48

Cr.

Expended,	\$ 6,984 65
Balance,	\$ 56 83

SUPERINTENDENT

Dr.

Balance, 1939,	\$ 8 15
Appropriation,	520 00
	————— \$ 528 15

Cr.

Expended,	\$ 513 00
Balance,	\$ 15 15

Itemized Expenditures
TEACHERS

Gladys Plant,	\$ 592 00
Madeline Skillings,	629 00
Marion Philbrook,	306 00
Jane Wing,	180 00
Laura Dow,	90 00
Corrine McLaughlin,	125 00
Clara Canwell,	629 00
Louise Sias,	612 00
Hilda Libby,	612 00
Eunice Gould,	612 00
Olive Bradford,	629 00
Villa Walker,	629 00
	—————
	\$ 5,645 00

CONVEYANCE

Ronald Twitchell,	\$ 1,134 50
Leavitt Institute,	437 50
Kenneth Libby,	430 40
Edgar Robbins,	351 00
Roy Timberlake,	298 00
J. L. Grant,	262 50
Wesley Farnham,	88 00
Ernest Churchill,	486 00
Mrs. Elmer Seward,	143 00
Fred Young,	26 79
Adolphus Marks,	83 00
A. T. Perkins,	60 00
Henry Gauthier,	24 00
	—————
	\$ 3,824 69

FUEL

George Dunlap,	\$ 9 00
Henry Fisher,	60 00
Winfred Pulsifer,	22 00
Henry Whitman,	30 00
J. L. & A. C. Grant,	100 00
R. L. Whiting,	30 00
Mrs. Mary Pulkinnen,	4 00
Arthur Morris, Jr.,	1 00
Forrest Austin,	32 00
J. E. Teague,	13 50
Leslie Stevens,	88 00
John J. O'Connor, Jr.,	1 00
	—————
	\$ 390 50

JANITORS

George Dunlap,	\$ 156 10
Henry Harlow,	50 00
Earl Hodgman,	196 90
Kenneth Libby,	114 00
Eunice Gould,	27 75

Madeline Skillings,	27 75
Gladys Plant,	27 75
Bertha Keene,	9 50
L. W. Keene,	7 78
Mrs. Mabel Keene,	3 00
Ethel Parsons,	4 00
Richard Parsons,	2 00
Bernice Lowe,	4 00
Mrs. J. K. Libby,	10 25
Donald Hodges,	6 00
Frederick Terrill,	4 00
	—————
	\$ 650 78

RENT

Leavitt Institute,	\$ 77 00
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TEACHER RETIREMENT ACCOUNT

Cash in hands of treasurer, February, 1939

Marion Philbrook,	\$ 15 30
Gladys Plant,	14 40
	—————\$ 29 70

Deducted, February to June, 1939,

Marion Philbrook,	\$ 15 30
Gladys Plant,	28 80
	—————\$ 29 70

Paid State Commissioner of Education,

June, 1939, for

Marion Philbrook,	\$ 30 60
Gladys Plant,	28 80
	—————
Balanced account,	\$ 59 40

Cash in hand of Treasurer, February, 1940,

For Gladys Plant,	\$ 15 20
For Villa Walker,	16 15
	—————\$ 31 35

BOOKS

Rand, McNally Company,	\$	16 22
John C. Winston Co.,		23 83
International Textbook Co.,		2 80
Scott, Foresman Co.,		91 14
Ginn and Company,		33 83
MacMillan Company,		45 71
Noble & Noble Co.,		3 28
World Book Co.,		16 66
Silver Burdette Co.,		7 85
D. C. Heath Co.,		18 82
F. E. Day Co.,		2 17
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,		17 34
Educational Guild of N. E.,		8 40
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	\$	288 05

SUPPLIES

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$	44 75
Clarry's,		1 35
Berry Paper Co.,		36 09
J. C. Winston Co.,		5 20
John S. Cheever Co.,		21 79
Banks Printing Service,		9 10
W. B. Woodbury,		10 00
Peck's,		8 42
Loring, Short & Harmon,		12 40
McGraw, Hill Book Co.,		4 08
J. L. Hammett Co.,		26 76
Glenn W. Starkey,		15 46
Arthur M. Buckley,		8 00
Milton, Bradley Co.,		2 16
West Disinfecting Co.,		10 65
P. T. Hinkley,		8 00
Iroquois Pub. Co.,		10 00
R. G. House Est.,		2 92

L. M. Glover, Inc.,	9 47
Harry Harlow,	6 60
Visual Education Service,	11 28

	\$ 264 48
	MUSIC
Mrs. Ruby Briggs,	\$ 249 74
	LIGHTS
C. M. P. Co.,	\$ 95 44
	SUPERINTENDENT
I. M. Hodges,	\$ 513 00
	TURNER CENTER BUILDING
The Sun-Journal,	\$ 4 50
A. J. Harriman,	250 00
T. B. Dunn,	900 95
Stanley Bryant,	5,493 39
W. H. Hobbs,	32 20
Edward E. Babb Co.,	111 53
W. J. Irish,	2 00
Lewiston Hdw. & Pl. Supply Co.,	29 00
Lewiston Lock and Key Works,	2 50
Gledhill Bros.,	100 00
Pineland Lumber Co.,	25 53
Bauer Hardware Co.,	6 90
R. D. Leavitt,	10 00
A. L. Merrill,	3 50
L. M. Hodsdon,	12 65

	\$ 6,984 65
	GENERAL REPAIRS
The Harris Co.,	\$ 6 00
F. E. Young,	61 45
Rose and Pratt,	1 30
L. M. Hodgdon,	10 99
A. R. Bonney,	10 18

Paul Hinkley,	1 25
Chas. Roberts,	5 50
Walter Lawrence & Son,	20 87
Walter S. Fuller,	29 00
W. J. Irish,	80 00
F. S. French,	2 50
Henry Harlow,	5 50
Gledhill Bros.,	200 00
Philip Emerson,	128 46

	\$ 563 00

**REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF
LEAVITT INSTITUTE**

Gentlemen:

The report of the principal of Leavitt Institute for the year ending February 1st, 1940, is here submitted.

The total enrollment for the present school year is 132. Of this number 84 were Turner students and 48 came from outside the town. In the dormitory we are feeding a total of 23 people including Mrs. Bray, her two sons and the two teachers. The busses are giving excellent service as usual. Mr. Hodgman's bus conveys about 24 students from South Livermore, Brettuns and Turner, while the bus through Greene and Leeds conveys about 21 pupils besides the grade students. The only financial contact the principal has had with any of the busses is to collect the bills and to see that checks from the treasurer of the Institute are duly delivered.

The principal wishes to take this opportunity to correct some misapprehension regarding the school store. This is run by students entirely for the benefit of the Activities Association. Mr. H. C. Leavitt keeps the books, receives all money taken in and pays the bills after they have been approved by the executive board and an order has been drawn by the president of the trustees.

Our library is growing year by year. The townspeople make some use of it, but not nearly as much as we wish they would. One visitor recently expressed amazement at finding in our library the very book he sought after an unsuccessful attempt to locate it in the State Library. Of course our books run more to reference work than to fiction, but we have a fairly good collection of each.

Among the improvements made during the past year might be mentioned a new Westinghouse electric refrigerator for the kitchen, a new coat of paint on the Institute building and an improvement in the interior of the foods laboratory in Berry Hall. During the next year we hope to make some much needed repairs in the basement of the Institute and in the gymnasium.

During the past year all graduates who were certificated for college have given a good account of themselves. No failures have been reported to date and some very fine grades have been received.

Our per capita cost last year was reduced by about \$8 per student so it was necessary to drop the tuition to outside students from \$90 to \$82.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT P. SMITH,

Principal.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF
LEAVITT INSTITUTE**

Receipts and Expenditures
Feb. 1, 1939 to Feb. 1, 1940

		Dr.	Cr.
Dormitory	Dining Room,	\$ 2,160 00	\$ 2,217 97
"	Janitor,		445 49
"	Help (Women),		65 06
"	Supplies,		297 41
"	Lights,		211 43
"	Repairs,	2 20	222 04

“	Fuel,	584 24
“	Insurance,	253 23
“	Telephone,	6 00
“	Rent from Students and others,	830 98
“	Credited with rooms for classes as allowed by State in fixing Tuition we may charge,	606 86

Totals for Dormitory, \$ 3,600 04 \$ 4,302 87

Use of rooms in Berry Hall for Classes

as credited above,		\$ 606 86
Institute Janitor,		491 32
“ Supplies,	\$ 17 11	475 04
“ Repairs,		527 42
“ Fuel,		430 15
“ Insurance,		602 43
“ Lights,		74 15
Gymnasium,	5 30	152 40
Teachers,		8,890 36
Miscellaneous,		63 81

Henry Wallace Copeland Library

Income,	211 22	167 19
Debating and Speaking,		39 65
Agriculture,	128 15	79 80
Music,	3 00	367 90
Tuition from out of town students,	3,576 00	
James Madison Leavitt Income,	2,791 84	301 68
Advertising and Catalogs,		51 15
Salary for Treasurer,		100 00
Campus,		162 03
Laboratory,	131 55	260 96
Domestic Science,		106 68
Town of Turner, Tuition,	4,250 00	

Town of Turner Domestic Science		
and Agriculture,	1,000 00	
State Special,	2,000 00	
State Agriculture,	964 58	
State Domestic Science,	540 00	
Ministerial and Grammar School		
Fund,	145 46	
Interest and Bank Charges,		140 61
Typewriting Course,	121 75	142 75
	\$ 19,486 00	\$ 18,537 21
E. L. Hodgman, Note for Bus,	324 66	
Livermore Bus,	826 75	906 30
Greene Bus,	929 30	1,111 50
Angelus,	190 00	270 93
School Store,	258 68	266 16
Henry Wallace Copeland Fund		
Principal,	6,058 50	6,058 50
James Madison Leavitt Fund		
Principal,	11,492 51	11,492 51
Notes Payable,	6,000 00	6,000 00
	\$ 45,566 40	\$ 44,643 11
Balance, Feb. 1, 1939,	162 38	
Balance, Feb. 1, 1940,		1,085 67
	\$ 45,728 78	\$ 45,728 78

TEACHERS. Mr. Smith is receiving \$2,500. per year. Mr. Fraser is receiving \$1,500. from us for the school year. The State pays him direct for the three summer months. He drew the maximum of \$200. for travel and adult evening classes for the 1938-1939 school year of which the State pays us back two-thirds. Mr. Thurlow taught a part of the year at the rate of \$1,265. receiving

\$553.27. Mr. Charles Bartlett completed the year at \$1,000. receiving \$550. Mrs. Smith receives \$1,212.50. Mrs. Hodgman \$740. Mrs. Young, \$610.50. Mrs. Thorne, \$1,012.50. Those in the Dormitory pay for their rooms and meals. Music Teachers are charged to Music Account.

THERE ARE NO NOTES outstanding against us and I know of no bills to be paid outside the usual routine.

THE BUS ROUTES which the Institute is conducting are in their second year and the experiment is being watched with much interest. Mr. Earle L. Hodgman furnishes transportation for the Livermore pupils. He pays all his own expenses and receives for pay the amount charged to the students. The Institute assumes the work, delay, and risk incident to collecting. Mr. Clifton Reed runs the Leeds-Greene Bus on the same terms except that he is guaranteed \$30. per week. He brings grade pupils to Howes Corner and Turner Center for which the Town pays the Institute \$12.50 per week.

THE INVESTED FUNDS are not radically different from last year. In the Leavitt Fund, 25 shares American Surety Co. were sold for \$1,364.28 and 40 shares Pacific Indemnity bought for \$1,360. 25 shares General Reinsurance cost \$1,137.50, and 40 shares Continental Insurance cost \$1,495.33. The \$5,000. Penn. Power & Light Bonds were called and yielded \$5,223. 10% of the income for the year was reserved against loss and added to the principal, amounting to \$276.68. The Central Maine Power Co. paid back dividends during the year amounting to \$393.75, a large item of income which we shall not have next year. \$1,000. So. Pittsburg Water Bonds was called and yielded \$1,019.50.

In the Copeland Library Account \$3,000. So. Pittsburg Water Co. Bonds were called and yielded \$3,058.50. 35 shares Pacific Indemnity were bought for \$1,207.50 and the rest of the money is in the Savings Account. A statement of the securities in all funds follows.

AUDIT of my accounts was made as of June 13th, 1939, by the State Audit Department. This included the Bank Balance, the Securities in the Funds, and the Report which I submitted at the annual meeting of our Trustees on that date.

JAMES MADISON LEAVITT FUND

At Face Value except as noted Feb. 1, 1940

St. Louis Iron Mountain & Southern 4s of 1933,	\$ 1,000 00
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Ref. Mtg. 6%,	500 00
Western Union 4½s of 1950,	4,000 00
Interboro Rapid Transit Co. 5%,	1,000 00
Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain R. R. 4s of 1948,	10,000 00
Indiana, Illinois & Iowa 4s of 1950,	3,000 00
R. I. Public Service Pref.,	825 00
National Biscuit Co. Common,	150 00
Lewiston Trust Co. Savings Dept.	7,300 52
New York Water Service 5s of 1951,	5,000 00
103 shares Mass. Investors Trust at cost,	2,039 70
California Water Service 4s of 1961,	4,000 00
Central Maine Power Co. 7% Pref.,	5,000 00
Bangor & Aroostook Convertible 4s,	4,000 00
166 shares Fundamental Investors at cost,	4,512 97
Androscoggin Co. Savings Bank Deposit,	2,890 95
Auburn Loan & Building Assn.,	2,000 00
Peoples Savings Bank,	2,000 00
Charlestown (Mass.) Five Cent Savings Bank Deposit,	5,000 00
Augusta Savings Bank Deposit,	1,829 55
40 shares Pacific Indemnity at cost,	1,360 00
25 shares General Reinsurance at cost,	1,137 50
40 shares Continental Insurance at cost,	1,495 33
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	\$70,041 52

HENRY WALLACE COPELAND LIBRARY FUND

At face value except as noted Feb. 1, 1940

Auburn Savings Bank,	\$ 2,384 36
35 shares Pacific Indemnity at cost,	1,207 50
Androscoggin Water Power Co.,	2,000 00
Louisville & Nashville Terminal Co. 4s of 1952,	1,000 00
	—————
	\$ 6,591 86

LAURA LEAVITT FUND

Wareham (Mass.) Savings Bank,	\$ 1,000 00
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Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. LEAVITT,

Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Births, Marriages and Deaths recorded in the year 1939.

BIRTHS

1938

Oct. 17. To Albert W. Thompson and Delores R. Hickey, a daughter, Georgieanna, at Flushing, L. I., New York.

1939

Jan. 4. To Harold W. Pulsifer and Ada I. Brackett, a son, Harold Winnifred, at Lewiston.

Jan. 4. To Francis W. Mason and Mildred E. Byron, a daughter, Constance Golden, at Lewiston.

Jan. 10. To Arthur Morris and Mary McGrath, a son, Oliver David, at Turner.

Jan. 11. To Charles A. Gauthier and Thelma B. Morgan, a son, Morgan Wayne, at Lewiston.

Feb. 8. To Robert O. Allen and Charlotte I. Clark, a son, Merle Clark, at Lewiston.

Feb. 13. To Clinton C. Durgin and Doris M. Bouchard, a daughter, Barbara Marie, at Lewiston.

Mar. 2. To Stanley L. Hendricks and Dorothy L. Gauthier, a son, Wayne Lewis, at Buckfield.

Mar. 3. To Russell E. Sawyer and Gladys R. Durgin, a daughter, Patricia Lemaine, at Lewiston.

Mar. 7. To Carlton H. Morris and Harriette K. Payeur, a son, Lucian Alvin, at Lewiston.

Apr. 11. To Percival T. Hinkley and Alice E. Jordan, a daughter, Arlene Jordan, at Lewiston.

Apr. 13. To Leroy J. Quimby and Ella M. Durgin, a son, Robert Russell, at Lewiston.

Apr. 18. To Ernest E. Hersey and Sadie Washburn, a son, Donald Wayne, at Auburn.

Apr. 28. To Ronald B. Twitchell and Evangeline Briggs, a son, Michael Blaine, at Lewiston.

May 25. To Carrol C. Jordan and Elsie M. Bubier, a son, Roland Carrol, at Turner.

June 1. To Maurice E. Gould and Lizzie B. Conant, a daughter, Elaine Irene, at Lewiston.

June 3. To Norman V. Hamlin and Louise E. Whitten, a son, Robert Percival, at Turner.

June 14. To Ernest L. Bumpus and Francis Carter, a son, Bernard Arthur, at Turner.

July 9. To Roland D. Leblond and Irene A. Lee, a daughter, Annette Louise, at Lewiston.

July 19. To Donald E. Kilbreth and Arlene F. Brown, a daughter, Patricia Joyce, at Lewiston.

July 20. To Arthur F. Pearl and Eunice M. Houghton, a daughter, Nancy, at Lewiston.

Aug. 11. To Alden A. Green and Phyllis J. Tucker, a son, Bertram Everett, at Lewiston.

Aug. 20. To Harry A. Lowell and Thelma P. Bailey, a daughter, Phyllis Ann, at Turner.

Sept. 11. To Albert W. Thompson and Delores R. Hickey, a daughter, Gloria Crystal, at Auburn.

Sept. 16. To Ralph L. Emerson and Edna M. Mitchell, a son, Fred Horace, at Lewiston.

Sept. 28. To Raymond E. Sennett and Etta Knight, a son, John David, at Turner.

Oct. 16. To Lewis Maxim and Maude Foss, a daughter, Helen Ethelyn, at Auburn.

Oct. 17. To Stanley M. Jordan and Rowena McLaughlin, a daughter, Beverly Anne, at Turner.

Nov. 6. To Wallace Reed and Dell C. Mower, a son, Gary Wallace, at Greene.

Nov. 16. To George G. Young and Mildred L. Shaw, a son, Tony Douglass, at Lewiston.

Dec. 14. To Earl R. Gilbert and Leola M. Mann, a son, Ronald Blaine, at Turner.

Dec. 18. To Clyde R. Pulsifer and Maud H. Safford, a son, James Linwood, at Lewiston.

Dec. 28. To Clarence E. Keen and Nellie Tupai, a son, Richard Charles, at Turner.

BIRTHS BY DEPOSITION

Mar. 6, 1871. To Uzza T. Thomas and Nancy G. Fish, a daughter, Effie Anna, at Turner.

Nov. 11, 1871. To Anson L. Jordan and Abbie A. Merrill, a daughter, Cora May, at Turner.

Feb. 28, 1874. To Henry I. Leavitt and Ada J. Young, a son, Perley Henry, at Turner.

Aug. 8, 1874. To Charles L. Foss and Corris A. Parker, a daughter, Bertha Idella, at Turner.

May 2, 1875. To Charles A. Dresser and Celia G. Fuller, a son, Bert Arthur, at Turner.

Jan. 23, 1878. To Ira Sampson and Betsey Young, a daughter, Ida Marie, at Turner.

Jan. 26, 1878. To Edward Gauthier and Demrise Souci, a son, James, at Turner.

Aug. 6, 1879. To John Hunter and Henrietta Leighton, a son Ernest Linwood, at Turner.

Sept. 7, 1879. To Anson L. Jordan and Abbie A. Merrill, a son, Harry Eugene, at Turner.

Sept. 12, 1879. To Frederick C. Alden and Addie Young, a son, Eugene Merle, at Turner.

Apr. 23, 1883. To James H. Libby and Orrah A. Milllett, a son, Walter A., at Turner.

Sept. 13, 1884. To James H. Libby and Orrah A. Milllett, a son, Clinton L., at Turner.

Jan. 23, 1887. To James H. Libby and Orrah A. Milllett, a daughter, Lucy M., at Turner.

MARRIAGES

1939

Jan. 21. Lawrence Dean Freeman of Turner and Edna Marion Abbott of Auburn, at Portland, by Rev. William A. Jones.

Feb. 1. Harold Benjamin Hill and Annie May Thompson, both of Turner, at Livermore, by Rev. Harold A. Libby.

Feb. 4. James Fowler Young of Buckfield and Mary Irene Teresa O'Conner of Turner, at East Hebron, by Rev. W. M. Lewallen.

Mar. 25. Samuel S. Toothaker and Marion Laura Scribner, both of Oxford, at Turner, by Rev. Thomas Day.

Apr. 9. Harry Maynard Wight of Lewiston and Hilder Mae Forest of Turner, at Lewiston, by Rev. P. L. Vernon.

June 5. Ralph Asaph Churchill of Turner and Shirley Irene Benson of Minot, at Turner, by Rev. George W. Sias.

June 26. Otho Williams Chase and Lottie Lemain Gould, both of Turner, at East Hebron, by Rev. W. M. Lewallen.

July 3. Hugh Madison Polland of Oxford and Virginia Etta Pratt of Turner, at Minot, by Earle S. Damon, Justice of the Peace.

Aug. 19. Merton Ray Stuart of East Hiram and Jean Louise Harlow of Turner, at Greene, by Rev. Edward W. Moore.

Sept. 29. Hugh Arthur Strout of Turner and Louise Pauline Jordan of Lewiston, at Lewiston, by Rev. Alban B. Hyde.

Oct. 14. Richard Martin Parsons and Ruby Mae Dunlap, both of Turner, at Turner, by Rev. Thomas Day.

Oct. 14. Harlan Walter Richardson and Phyllis Arlene Tidswell, both of Turner, at South Paris, by Rev. Walter A. Smith.

Oct. 16. Willard Klatt Irish of Turner and Dorris Albina Purkis of Buckfield, at East Hebron, by Rev. W. M. Lewallen.

Oct. 17. Ronald Bridgham Newton of Hartford and Alma Izora Carver of Turner, at Waterford, by Rev. William I. Bull.

Oct. 28. Joseph Albert Marsden and Phyllis Ida Alden both of Auburn, at Turner Center, by Rev. George W. Sias.

Nov. 19. George William Sias, Jr., of Turner and Nellie Gladys Bradley of Anson, at Turner Center, by Rev. George W. Sias.

Nov. 30. Owen Kingsley Pillsbury of Turner and Mary Ann Spencer of Livermore, at Mechanic Falls, by Rev. Eugene L. Vanner.

Dec. 3. Malcolm Arnold Bates of Turner and Thelma Sarah Annis of Auburn, at Auburn, by Mabel H. Bedell, Justice of the Peace.

Dec. 5. Alfred Bertrand Dunn of Turner and Kathryn Tully of Hartford, at Auburn, by Rev. Armand J. Chabot.

DEATHS

Sept. 13, 1938. Elizabeth Thomas (Bradford), age 90 yrs., at Middleboro, Mass., b. Turner, bu. Mass.

1939

Jan. 6. Ellen Seaward (Stone), age 75 yrs., at Turner, b. Kennebunkport, bu. Kennebunkport.

Jan. 13. Etta Francis Richmond (Timberlake), age 74 yrs., at Turner, b. Livermore, bu. Livermore Falls.

Jan. 14. Adelaide D. Robinson (Mitchell), age 78 yrs., at Turner, b. Levant, bu. Turner Village.

Jan. 17. Susie Dean (Tower), age 56 yrs., at Lewiston, b. Sweden, bu. Chases Mills.

Jan. 19. George A. Timberlake, age 23 yrs., at Turner,
b. Turner, bu. North Turner.

Jan. 24. Lillian S. Smith (Conant), age 61 yrs., at
Buckfield, b. Turner, bu. Buckfield.

Jan. 24. Helen L'Heureux Payeur (L'Heureux), age
84 yrs., at Lewiston, b. Canada, bu. Lewiston.

Jan. 24. Frank H. Dennett, age 73 yrs., at Auburn,
b. Amesbury, Mass., bu. Howes Corner.

Jan. 29. Dora Knight Cole (Knight), age 76 yrs., at
Dover-Foxcroft, b. Waterford, bu. Turner Village.

Jan. 29. Frank E. Doe, age 79 yrs., at Lewiston, b.
Worcester, Mass., bu. North Fairfield.

Jan. 30. Job Prince, age 66 yrs., at Turner, b. Turner,
bu. Turner Center.

Feb. 2. Nina D. Cluff (Dillingham), age 40 yrs., at
Auburn, b. Turner, bu. Turner Village.

Feb. 7. Charles S. Keene, age 72 yrs., at East Hebron,
b. Hebron, bu. North Auburn.

Feb. 9. Delia F. Judkins (Whitman), age 72 yrs., at
Lewiston, b. Turner, bu. Turner Village.

Feb. 13. Addie R. Whitman (Bradford), age 91 yrs.,
at Auburn, b. Turner, bu. Upper Street.

Feb. 14. Nellie P. Emerson (True), age 76 yrs., at
Turner, b. Turner, bu. Turner Village.

Feb. 23. Minnie Eva Nettleton, age 63 yrs., at Turner,
b. New Haven, Conn., bu. Turner Village.

Mar. 1. Virginia Ella Strout (Quimby), age 23 yrs.,
at Lewiston, b. Turner, bu. Howes Corner.

Mar. 3. Helen Eleanor Bates, age 10 yrs., at Turner,
b. Turner, bu. North Auburn.

Mar. 11. Anna Eliza Hamlin (Stephens), age 83 yrs.,
at New Sharon, b. Turner, bu. Farmington.

Mar. 17. Victor B. Hamlin, age 87 yrs., at New
Sharon, b. Turner, bu. Farmington.

Mar. 17. Leonard James Allen, age 32 yrs., at Wey-
mouth, Mass., b. Chesterville, bu. Turner Center.

Mar. 19. Ruth Mitchell Lydston (Mitchell), age 74 yrs., at Lynn, Mass., b. Turner, bu. Lynn, Mass.

Mar. 20. Delana Alden (French), age 90 yrs., at Turner, b. Turner, bu. Turner Center.

Mar. 23. Lindsey L. Sennett, age 73 yrs., at Turner, b. Meddybemps, bu. Upper Street.

Apr. 6. Lena M. Adkins (Glines), age 72 yrs., at Turner, b. Paris, bu. Mt. Auburn.

Apr. 29. Rufus Herbert Cotton, age 66 yrs., at Exeter, N. H., b. Sandown, N. H., bu. North Turner.

May 4. Arthur B. Talbort, age 80 yrs., at Lewiston, b. Turner, bu. South Paris.

May 25. Harry E. Jordan, age 59 yrs., at Turner, b. Turner, bu. Maple Grove, Turner.

June 3. Sabra Tilden (Dean), age 74 yrs., at Palmyra, b. Lincolnville, bu. Turner, Keens Mills Cemetery.

July 5. Mary F. Bradford (Ridley), age 82 yrs., at Auburn, b. Wayne, bu. Turner Center.

July 7. Mary Russell (Staples), age 77 yrs., at Berlin, N. H., b. Turner, bu. Mechanic Falls.

July 11. Emma Parcher (Mason), age 87 yrs., at Leeds, b. Gardiner, bu. South Livermore.

Aug. 5. John Matthews, age 88 yrs., at Lewiston, b. Nova Scotia, bu. North Turner.

Sept. 3. Charles Fred Davis, age 76 yrs., at Cambridge, Mass., b. Turner, bu. Turner Village.

Sept. 8. Ellen M. Wills (Dresser), age 80 yrs., at Auburn, b. Turner, bu. Mt. Auburn.

Sept. 13. Julia F. Cary, age 88 yrs., at Auburn, b. Turner, bu. Turner Village.

Sept. 21. Harry Blake Jacobs, age 76 yrs., at Turner, b. Minot, bu. Buckfield.

Sept. 22. Hattie A. Dillingham (Irish), age 75 yrs., at Auburn, b. Buckfield, bu. Turner Village.

Sept. 26. Emma F. Decoster, age 84 yrs., at Plainfield, Vt., b. Turner, bu. Bear Pond.

Oct. 5. Charles S. Simpson, age 82 yrs., at Monrovia, Calif., b. Turner, bu. Calif.

Nov. 9. Alfred Coffren, age 61 yrs., at Lewiston, b. Milton Plantation, bu. Turner Village.

Nov. 16. Tony Douglass Young, age 1 day, at Lewiston, b. Lewiston, bu. Maple Grove Cemetery, Turner.

Nov. 27. Ralph Henry Conant, age 59 yrs., at Augusta, b. Turner, bu. Augusta.

Dec. 6. Walter Lawrence, age 73 yrs., at Turner, b. Turner, bu. Turner Center.

Dec. 8. Flora M. Record, age 80 yrs., at Turner, b. Buckfield, bu. Buckfield.

Dec. 16. Chessman N. Turner, age 63 yrs., at Livermore, b. Turner, bu. Livermore.

Dec. 26. Dennis O'Connor, age 67 yrs., at Augusta, b. Lewiston, bu. Lewiston.

Dec. 29. Gertrude Flagg (Chandler), age 74 yrs., at Auburn, b. Turner, bu. Auburn.

Yours truly,

EARL B. HODSDON,

Clerk of Turner.

A record is being made in the office of the Town Clerk of the names and places of burial of all soldiers of the U. S. A. in Turner.

Will you please make additions and corrections that the record may be as nearly perfect as possible. Many are in need of markers which we hope soon to procure. I submit the record to date.

TURNER VILLAGE CEMETERY

Abbot lot	Bradford, Gen. Phillips
Alden, Seth	Bradford, Franklin
Blake, Charles	Bradford, Seth Delano
Blake, Samuel	Bradford, Harold C.

Bray, Capt. W. B.	Holt lot
Bray, Philip	Jewett, W. H.
Bray, William	Jones, Capt. Sylvester
Bearse, Mellen A.	Jones, Albert N.
Beals, Capt. Benjamin	Jones, Capt. Henry
Chase, Abner	McKenney, Calvin
Clark, Col. Cyrus	Moody, Charles H.
Clark, Gen. Philo	Peare, Alvora
Conant, Howard T.	Pike, J. M.
Cushing, John T.	Pratt, Seraiah
Fox, Martin	Roberts, Albert A.
French, Edwin	Robinson, Harry E.
French, Mellen	Staples, Jonathan S.
Dillingham, John	Stewart, Fred E.
Gilbert, Horace J.	Turner, Bradish
Hamlin, Elijah	Turner, Col. William
Houghton, Samuel S.	Wollmer, August
Harlow, Daniel Y.	Wardwell, George E.
Harlow, Edgar J.	Washburn, Wm. H.
Hobbs, Harry A.	Whitman, Lieut. Jones
Hersey, Henry A.	(2) unmarked
Huntington lot	

TURNER CENTER (Centerville) CEMETERY

Austin, Daniel	Holmes, G. Stewart
Allen, Ethan	Hood, Billings
Beal, Arthur L.	Hood, H. Nelson
Bradford, Jessie	Jordan, Hiram
Bradford, B. R.	Johnson, Benjamin W.
Bradford, Leonard P.	Johnson, F. G.
Bradford, Capt. Dura	Jones, Mellen M.
Bradford, Lewis P.	Lane, Leander
Curtis, Capt. Almon	Leavitt, Aubrey
Fish, Cephas J.	Mason, Ferdinand
Gilbert, A. E.	Merrill, Sewell
Howard, Lt. Col. George W.	Merrill, Moses P.

Parsons, Edward H.
 Phillipps, Charles E.
 Ridlon, James A.

Shaw, Harry R.
 Thompson, George B.
 Woodbury, Sewell G.

NORTH TURNER CEMETERY

Coburn, Horace J.	Metcalf, Syrus
DeCoster, Austin J.	Merrill, Mellen
DeCoster, Sylvander	Merrill, Winslow
Delano, Sylvester	Morse, Andrew
Francis, Lorenzo	Morse, Lorin
Fuller, Edward	Quimby, William F.
Fuller, I. Arnaldo	Records, Loring C.
Fuller, E. Ellery	Smith, Albert
Gilmore, Charles	Smith, Israil
Hayford, Lewis D.	Starbird, James E.
Keen, John	Thomas, Sampson A.
Keen, Seth H.	Torrey, Lt. Col. Wm. H.
Keen, Ronollo B.	Turner, Sedate M.
Keen, Jacob Jr.	Staples, William B.
Kilgore, Thomas A.	Virgin, James M.
Kimball, Capt. J. A.	Young, Emery E.
Libby, Lucius	Young, Lucius A.
Libby, Josiah K.	Young, Orvill
Lovejoy, Elisha	Young, Charles B.
McLure, Charles	(3) unmarked

HOWES CORNER CEMETERY

Alden, Adelbert	Prescott, Solomon O.
Bailey, John	Pratt, Abel H.
Canwell, S. F.	Richmond, Maj. Warren
Humphrey, George D.	Richmond, Nathan
Jones, William O.	Richmond, Granville
Lowell, Paul	Smith, Wallace
Leavitt, Arch D.	Winship, Charles P.
Lara, James	Whitman, Capt. Oren
Merrill, Levi	(1) unmarked
Merrill, Shirley	

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY

Bailey, Chandler B.	Keene, Charles M.
Bailey, Luther	Mason, Ira L.
Bradford, Philamon A.	Phillips, Isaac
Haywood, Calvin M.	Pratt, Sarson C.
Keene, Jarius P.	(2) unmarked

NEW KEENS MILLS CEMETERY

Alden, William E.	Buck, Loronzo
Alden, James G.	Gilmore, Albert F.
Alden, Burton L.	Penney, Aretas B.
Beal, Welcome	

CHASES MILLS (River Hill) CEMETERY

Berry, John T.	Pumpilly, Bennett
Chase, Charles A.	Sawyer, A. W.
Cavalier, Roy J.	Snell, Capt. Ebenezer
Hawkes, Nathaniel S.	Snell, Maj. Charles
Hyer, John H.	Tuttle, Daniel
Leavitt, Corpl. Thadeas	

UPPER STREET CEMETERY

Barrell, Joshua	Hodsdon, Benjamin F.
Briggs, Daniel	Jones, Cornelius
Cary, Ezra	Phillips, Richard
Cary, Luther	Ricker, Milton F.
Dresser, Elijah	Staples, Seth
Davis, Thomas W.	Talbot, Capt. David
Evans, Benjamin	

BEAR POND CEMETERY

Gammon, Samuel	Stephens, Edward L.
Hayford, Capt. William	Wood, John
Hayford, Charles W.	Wood, George H.
Hayford, Gad	(1) unmarked
Keene, Elisha	

GEN. TURNER HILL CEMETERY

Adkins, Charles A.	Turner, Rev. Charles
Pratt, Dan	Turner, John
Thayer, Charles H.	(1) unmarked
Thayer, Abner	

HARLOW CEMETERY

Chandler, Charles B.	Harlow, William W.
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SOUTH TURNER CEMETERY

Holmes, Gershom	Turner, Maj. William
Niles, Bsniah	

Yours truly,

EARL B. HODSDON,

Clerk of Turner.

DOGS LICENSED IN 1939

58031	C. W. Edwards	58048	Rex Bridges
58032	E. B. Morse	58049	Rex Bridges
58033	F. P. Ricker	58050	George Canwell
58034	T. B. Dunn	58051	Lewis Maxim
58035	D. C. Prince	58052	Audry Perkins
58036	Sybil Crafts	58053	J. G. Allen
58037	Raymond Pickard	58054	Alice Hathaway
58038	Charles Carpenter	58055	N. B. Crocker
58039	Ralph Russell	58056	Mary Spofford
58040	Pearl Nelder	58057	A. E. Bisbee
58041	Pearl Nelder	58058	H. L. Keene
58042	Blanch L. Foster	58059	A. C. Grant
58043	W. E. Conant	58060	J. C. Grant
58044	Stanley Smith	58061	W. C. Tidswell
58045	Rex Bridges	58062	Elmer Seaward
58046	Rex Bridges	58063	Charles Seaward
58047	Rex Bridges	58064	Virginia Libby

58065	Cleon Sampson	58102	Charles Gauthier
58066	Mabel Kilbreth	58103	Raymond Sennett
58067	Russell Alden	58104	Ralph Polley
58068	M. E. House	58105	W. H. Thornton
58069	Gladys Benson	58106	H. W. Maxwell
58070	P. H. Leavitt	58107	B. R. Beals
58071	E. A. Packard	58108	H. F. Dresser
58072	E. L. Skillings	58109	John DeCoster
58073	Ethel Bates	58110	A. L. Purkis
58074	John Erikson	58111	A. E. Gillis
58075	Blanche Austin	58112	A. E. Wilson
58076	Dorris Gauthier	58113	G. H. French
58077	W. G. Enos	58114	H. T. Moody
58078	W. C. Wall	58115	Alac Nadeau
58079	C. F. Pulsifer	58116	Manderville Thayer
58080	A. B. Ricker	58117	Annie A. Thayer
58081	T. G. Burdin	58118	R. A. Bray
58082	Frank Record	58119	H. M. Fogg
58083	F. F. Beedy	58120	C. L. Weston
58084	Bradford Beedy	58121	Josephine Hinkley
58085	Bradford Beedy	58122	Harold Hanson
58086	H. P. Hannon	58123	G. A. Bray
58087	R. D. Leavitt	58124	G. A. Bray
58088	Albert Basinet	58125	E. M. Staples
58089	Roy Mason	58126	W. L. Conant
58090	R. L. Emerson	58127	E. G. Pratt
58091	E. B. Churchill	58128	Marie Eldridge
58092	E. B. Churchill	58129	E. J. Harlow
58093	Linwood Strout	58130	E. J. Harlow
58094	J. S. Sennett	58131	R. J. Dyer
58095	Inez Sennett	58132	Rebecca Whitman
58096	H. A. Thompson	58133	Pearl Haskell
58097	Donald MacIntosh	58134	H. I. Hooper
58098	Hazel Merrill	58135	Grace Stephens
58099	Millie Lindsey	58136	H. G. Fish
58100	C. H. Gibbs	58137	Bertha Huntington
58101	M. C. Hill	58138	E. B. Hinkley

58139	Guy Timberlake	58176	M. A. Lombard
58140	Abel Heikkinen	58177	Mrs. A. L. Davidson
58141	H. P. Hannon	58178	C. C. Goodnow
58142	Rossie B. Fuller	58179	E. R. Gilbert
58143	Sherman Reed	58180	Albert Angell
58144	Lydia Enos	58181	Sarah E. Harlow
58145	Wallace Reed	58182	Oren Fraser
58146	G. F. Hickey	58183	H. E. Starbird
58147	R. L. Whiting	58184	R. B. Twitchell
58148	R. L. Whiting	58185	Alfred Dunn
58149	Henry Timberlake	58186	W. K. Clark
58150	Morris Dube	58187	Alice B. Sawyer
58151	E. L. Hodgman	58188	George Talbot
58152	Clara Tobin	58189	Elizabeth Briggs
58153	Frank Volanto	58190	L. A. Pearl
58154	Carrol Mason	58191	Arthur Pearl
58155	L. H. Sawtelle	58192	Joseph Gagnon
58156	Oakes Kilgore	58193	H. C. Briggs
58157	Kenneth Libby	58194	Thomas Mansfield
58158	R. O. Allen	58195	Leonard Gustus
58159	J. J. Fisher	58196	Lloyd Timberlake
58160	Alden Green	58197	Elmer Hendricks
58161	William Higgins	58198	H. E. Starbird
58162	W. R. Pelow	58199	F. S. Irish
57163	W. R. Pelow	58200	Francis Donavan
58164	Gordon Wolfe	58201	H. C. Irish
58165	James V. Starbird	58202	N. H. Stevens
58166	Beverly Mitchell	58203	L. E. Stevens
58167	Norman Jones	58204	Forest Fish
58168	H. C. Lowe	58205	H. P. Gauthier
58169	Lee A. Libby	58206	H. P. Gauthier
58170	H. E. Wills	58207	Charles Sennett
58171	Agnes Foster	58208	Elwood Durgin
58172	Agnes Foster	58209	Elwood Durgin
58173	Percival Hinkley	58210	H. A. Walker
58174	Clarence Keene	58211	Lena Hogge
58175	Clarence Keene	58212	Mrs. E. Kyllonen

58213	Edward Snow	58221	George DeWhiting
58214	Franklin Wade	58222	Maude DeWhiting
58215	N. B. Hillman	58223	John O'Conner
58216	Albion Brackett	58224	H. G. Knight
58217	Edmond Davis	58225	A. H. Gauthier
58218	J. A. Nickerson	58226	Arthur Morris
58219	J. A. Nickerson	58227	Earl R. Gilbert
58220	M. N. Bates		

133 Males.

50 Female Spayed.

14 Females.

3 Kennels.

Total paid to Town Treasurer \$278.60.

The Clerk's fee was increased to 25 cents by the last Legislature in effect after July 21, 1939, without additional cost to the dog owner.

Yours truly,

EARL B. HODSDON,

Clerk of Turner.

Budget Committee Recommendations 1940

Raised 1939	Account	Recommendation 1940
\$ 1,100 00	Other Town Charges	\$ 700 00
100 00	Red Cross	100 00
4,500 00	Roads and Bridges	4,500 00
2,500 00	Snow Removal	2,000 00
600 00	Street Lights	600 00
999 00	New Construction State Aid	999 00

1,078 00	Maintenance Third Class	1,078 00
1,600 00	Maintenance State Highways	1,600 00
100 00	Calcium Chloride	100 00
200 00	Cutting Bushes	100 00
2,800 00	Poor Relief	4,000 00
500 00	Town Farm	1,700 00
150 00	Mother's Aid	150 00
7,500 00	Common Schools	7,500 00
600 00	Books and Supplies	600 00
600 00	General Repairs Schools	600 00
4,250 00	Tuition Leavitt Institute	4,000 00
1,000 00	Agriculture and Home Econ.	1,000 00
75 00	School Lights	75 00
300 00	Music Instruction	300 00
520 00	Superintendent of Schools	500 00
75 00	Memorial Day	75 00
2,000 00	Interest on Debt	2,700 00
2,500 00	Reduction of Debt	2,500 00
1,000 00	Railroad Bond	1,000 00
300 00	Pine Blister Control	
2,500 00	Turner Center School House	
75 00	Cemetery Improvements	75 00
200 00	Public Library	200 00
	Moving Turner Center School	
	House	300 00
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\$ 39,722 00		\$ 39,052 00
\$ 8,392 83	State Tax	\$ 8,392 83
2,233 10	County Tax	2,233 10
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\$ 50,347 93		

STATE BUREAU OF HEALTH
**Annual Report of
Public Health Nursing Service**
1939

The public health nursing service covers the nurse supervision of expectant mothers, infants, preschool and school age children. The report covers this general program and it is for this purpose which we are asking to have money raised to help continue the work by supplementing what is already being paid from State Bureau of Health funds. The work is carried largely through home visits and child health conferences. These contacts are made for the purpose of giving help in meeting the health needs of the family through advice and demonstration of methods of care in the home.

The encouragement of parents in the care of the family is most gratefully received. Through the nurses' home visits, medical supervision is urged where needed for treatment or correction of defects.

The importance of using the proper diet for maintenance of health and normal growth is discussed with families and aid given in planning food budgets.

The protection of children with communicable diseases, the protection of others from those who are ill and immunization against certain diseases is stressed. Whenever possible, child health conferences are held with the local people making the choice of examining physician and the

State Bureau of Health paying for his services. The nurse is always alert to any crippling condition in children and with the consent of the physician, the services of the crippled children clinics, which are held in several sections of the State, are recommended to the family.

As other defects are found, the nurse calls these conditions to the attention of the parents with recommendations to secure advice from physician or dentist regarding care or treatment. In cases where the cost of corrective work cannot be assumed by the family, the nurse endeavors to enlist the interest of groups or agencies to assist in meeting these needs.

There are many infants and preschool children in Turner and the mothers are very cooperative and interested in suggestions and advice.

In August a well child conference was held with good attendance.

In November a new mothers' club was formed in Turner Village with the help of the nurse.

The following is a summary of the work done in this town :

Maternity Health Supervision :

Antepartums admitted to nursing service,	8
Field nursing visits,	13
Postpartums admitted to nursing service,	11
Field nursing visits,	11

Infant Health Supervision :

Admitted to nursing service,	22
Field nursing visits,	45

Preschool Health Supervision :

Admitted to nursing service,	28
Field nursing visits,	65

School Hygiene:	
Admitted to nursing service,	2
Field nursing visits,	8
Crippled Children:	
Admitted to service,	1
Field nursing visits,	1
Unclassified:	
Number homes visited,	81
Interviews,	11
Conference Attendance,	19
Examined by Doctor,	14
Defects were found of:	
Skin and scalp	
Tonsils	
Ears	
Lymph nodes	
Genitalia	
Posture	
General nutrition	

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

TURNER PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Turner Public Library was opened for service January 18th, 1939, with about 300 books on the shelves. Fifteen borrowers cards were sold the first day.

The Library has been open 109 times to date.

The number of books on the shelves now is 1,687, of which 295 have been purchased.

Number of books borrowed to date 3,874.

Number of cards issued 100 and 9 cards issued to schools.

The Library has subscriptions to the following magazines: Ladies' Home Journal, The Yankee, and Jack and Jill.

Of the \$200.00 appropriated by the Town of Turner, March, 1939, for the purchase of books \$108.15 has been expended for that purpose.

ANNIE L. BRADFORD,
Librarian.

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

State of Maine Androscoggin, ss.

To Ernest B. Morse, constable in the Town of Turner
in said County. Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Turner, qualified by law to vote in said Town affairs to assemble at the Grange Hall at Turner Center in said Town on the fourth day of March, A.D. 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk.

Art. 3. To hear all reports to be made at said meeting.

Art. 4. To choose one selectman to serve a term of three years.

Art. 5. To choose one assessor to serve a term of three years.

Art. 6. To choose one overseer of the poor to serve a term of three years, and one for one year.

Art. 7. To choose a Town Treasurer.

Art. 8. To choose a collector of Taxes.

Art. 9. To choose one member of the school board to serve a term of three years.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner.

Art. 11. To choose a Road Commissioner if the Town so votes.

Art. 12. To choose five members of the Budget Committee to serve a term of one year.

Art. 13. To choose all other officers required by law to be chosen at the annual town meeting.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the support of common schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repair of school buildings for the ensuing year.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for text books and supplies for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for lights in the schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for musical instruction in the common schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Superintendent of School's salary for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the tuition of Turner students at Leavitt Institute for the ensuing year.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to help maintain the course of Domestic Science and Agriculture at Leavitt Institute.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Mothers' aid for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to reimburse the Treasurer for overdraft incurred in the operation of the Town farm.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repairs of roads and bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the removal of snow for the ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the improvement of the section of State Aid Road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges as provided under Section 19 of Chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1930, or under provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,078.00 for maintenance of the Third Class Road as required by law.

Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the maintenance of State and State Aid roads in the Town for the ensuing year, this includes the summer patrol and snow removal.

Art. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the expense of Memorial Day.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to offer a discount on all property taxes paid before December 15th, 1940, the exact amount of discounts and dates to be left to the Selectmen.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to assent to the provisions of the Workman's Compensation Act and to authorize the Selectmen to procure insurance for same for the ensuing year.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 34. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for interest on the Town debt.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the reduction of the Town debt.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,000.00 to redeem the railroad bond maturing this year.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for health work under the supervision of the Turner Red Cross for the ensuing year.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for other Town charges for the ensuing year.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for cutting bushes on the Town roads.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to buy any calcium chloride for the two villages and Bear Pond or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Treasurer to make temporary loans in anticipation of taxes, said loans to be approved by the Selectmen and not to exceed the total tax levy of the preceding municipal year in which they are made, in accordance with provision of Section 83 of Chapter 5, of the Revised Statutes of Maine, and all acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto and for the purpose therein permitted with like authority and limitations to issue notes maturing within the current year to refund in whole or in part any such notes given for said loans during that year.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for cleaning up neglected cemeteries or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$200.00 to be used for maintenance of, or purchase of books for the Turner Public Library, or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to have the poll taxes on May 1st as provided by law.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey by quit claim deed any town owned property in accordance with the Statutes regarding sale of tax lien property.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will vote to foreclose on matured liens, and take possession of said property and rent said property at the assessed tax value per year in twelve equal payments, payable monthly, the present owner has the right to rent said property, and when said mortgage lien is paid in full said property converts back to the present owner.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$97.00 for public health nursing or act anything delating thereto. Said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 48. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Turner this 10th day of February, A.D. 1940.

(Signed),

HENRY H. WHITMAN,

FRED P. RICKER,

JOHN E. TEAGUE,

Selectmen of the Town of Turner.

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